

## BIG B. & O. PIERS AT BALTIMORE ON FIRE

Vast Quantities of Munitions and Supplies Destroyed

Fire of Incendiary Origin Causes Loss of Several Million Dollars—Dozen Men Employed on Pier Are Missing.

**BULLETIN.**  
BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 30.—At one o'clock the water end of Pier No. 8 was burning fiercely. At that time also, a British steamer, which tied up at Pier No. 8 this afternoon was on fire, and the eighty anti-submarine shells in her magazine were exploding, endangering the lives of fireman. The ship sank later and four of her crew are missing. It is believed the total loss will reach \$5,000,000 of which \$1,500,000 represents the piers; \$3,000,000 the material stored on them and \$500,000 the steamer and cargo. Ten stevedores of the twenty working on the steamer and on the wharf when the fire broke out have not been accounted for. Half a dozen others, with five or six members of the crew of the vessel jumped into the harbor and swam ashore.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 30.—One of the largest fires in Baltimore since the great conflagration in February, 1904, which destroyed the business section of the city is raging at midnight on the big piers of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at its terminal at Locust Point on the South Side of the harbor. Piers 8 and 9 are stored with vast quantities of munitions and supplies for the American forces in France and their allies. Within ten minutes after the flames were discovered the entire structure was ablaze. Fifteen of the crew of a British steamer lying at the pier leaped overboard and it is feared some of them were drowned. A dozen or more men employed on the pier are missing.

On one of the piers were cases of shells which exploded at intervals leading to rumors that the fire department was using dynamite to check the spread of the fire. It is reported that the fire was of incendiary origin.

United States secret service men are at the scene investigating rumors that suspicious looking men were seen hurrying from the vicinity a few minutes after the fire was discovered by a policeman. A strong northwest wind swept the flames toward hundreds of small houses to the south of the terminal and occupied by the families of workmen on the piers. These people fearing for the safety of their husbands, fathers and other male relatives employed about the pier, rushed in the direction of the fire and struggled with the police in their desperate efforts to cross the cordon.

Baltimore & Ohio railroad officials could not give any estimate of the loss but it will reach several millions. Vice-president A. W. Thompson of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad late tonight said:

"It is impossible at present to determine the real origin of the fire. We have been prepared for just a happening ever since the war started. The number of guards had been doubled. Approximately one hundred men in the employ of the company have been authorized by the state to carry weapons and have been detailed day and night about the piers."

## MANY PLEDGE SUPPORT TO FOOD ADMINISTRATION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Results of the first day of the food pledge week campaign, so far as known by returns to campaign headquarters here are 666,402 new cards signed. These added to the 1,740,598 cards already in the hands of the food administration before the present food pledge week campaign began, make a total of 2,407,000 pledges of persons who have agreed to observe the advice and directions of the food administration in the conduct of their kitchens and dining rooms as their personal contribution towards victory in the war.

To Maine belongs the credit for the greatest number of cards reported on the first day's work—\$7,500. Iowa is next with 75,000, while Indiana reports more than 67,000.

## FIRST RECEIPTS RECEIVED

Washington, Oct. 30.—First receipts from the second sale of liberty bonds reached the treasury today. The amount, \$124,590,753 reported by the federal reserve banks, represents a portion of the initial two per cent by subscribers with application and a small part of the money received for actual cash sale.

## MEN DRILLED IN SNOW

Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., Oct. 30.—Men of the new National Army in cantonment here drilled in snow today while those of their comrades inadequately clothed to resist a temperature of 16 degrees above zero remained in barracks. Platoon and brigade maneuvers were full of snap.

## PROMINENT OHIOAN DEAD

Athens, Ohio, Oct. 30.—General Charles H. Grosvenor, former representative from the Eleventh Ohio district, died at his home here early today, aged 84. General Grosvenor for many years a notable figure in republican politics in Ohio and for twenty years a member of congress, had been failing in health for several years. Mrs. Grosvenor and two daughters survive him.

## GERMAN PROFESSOR ALLOWED TO RESIGN

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 30.—Because his remarks against the recent Liberty loan were offensive, Dr. Ernest Feise, associate professor of German in the University of Wisconsin has been allowed to resign, President Van Hise announced last night. Feise is a citizen of Germany. He joined the staff here in 1908. "After an investigation of the remark which Professor Feise made," said Dr. Van Hise, "it was apparent that his usefulness to the University was at an end."

## GERMAN-AUSTRO DRIVE CONTINUES

Italian Cavalry Fighting Rear-guard Actions to Cover Retreat

Teutonic Allies Impeded by Flooded Condition of Tagliamento River—Udine Captured by the Invaders.

The drive of the Germans and Austro-Hungarian armies, begun a week ago against the eastern and northeastern fronts of the Austro-Italian theater, continues unabated, but with the Italian cavalry fighting rear-guard actions to cover the retreat of the Italians to positions chosen for a stand and the Teutonic allies also being impeded by the flooded condition of the Tagliamento river. Udine, former headquarters of the Italian army in eastern Venetia, has been captured by the invaders who also are pressing the Italians from the Isoszo front and invading Italian territory from the north thru the Carnic Alps.

The invasion of Venetia from the east with Udine the apex of the drive, already is about twenty miles, but as yet no definite information is at hand from which it is possible to judge the extent of the advance of the Teutons in other districts. If the movement from the north keeps pace with that from the northeast and east however, the predicament of General Cadorna's forces will be a serious one.

Nothing has been vouchsafed in either the Italian, German or Austrian official communications to indicate what the situation is in the Treviso sector which lies to the west and northwest of the present zone of activity but it is not improbable that, if as unofficial advices have stated, the Austro-Swiss frontier has been closed, reinforcements both from Germany and Austria are being hurried up for an offensive of great magnitude in this region. The driving back of the Italians southward might seriously affect the plans of entente allies to send relief to General Cadorna if the route chosen for this purpose were across the Franco-Italian border and eastward by rail. Field Marshal Haig again has sent forward his forces in the Ypres sector on what apparently was intended as line straightening operations and again has been successful in gaining the greater portion of his objective. The attacks were delivered over small fronts in the regions of Passchendaele and Poelcapelle, where spurs of ridges and other points of vantage were taken.

The Canadians with their usual brilliancy of attack, early in the offensive gained their objectives, including Crest farm, 400 yards from the heart of Passchendaele. Some of the trenches even penetrated into the town itself and also were sent to the village of Goeborg to the north. The German official communication admits that Passchendaele was captured, but asserts that later the Canadians were driven out. On the battle fronts, except for spirited artillery fighting in the Aisne and Meuse sectors of France the operations have been of a minor character.

## CHICAGO FIREMEN CHARGED WITH THEFT

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Eight city firemen, alleged to be involved in a series of safe robberies are under arrest today under orders from State's Attorney Hoyne.

Mr. Hoyne has been working on the case for months, and was said to the plan was for the firemen, whose uniforms gave them easy access, to get needed advance information on pretense of looking for violations of fire prevention ordinances, and then to blow the safes themselves, or communicate the information to professional thieves.

The names of five of the firemen were made public, the others being withheld. The five are Samuel Amsdun, Jeremiah Falvey, William J. Murphy, William Gehoe, George Guthrie.

## SOLDIER REFUSES LEGACY OF \$30,000

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Oct. 30.—A student officer in the Third Regiment, whose name is withheld, has refused a legacy of \$30,000 the acceptance of which would necessitate his leaving the training camp. It became known today. Two weeks ago he received word his uncle in Colorado had died and left him business property valued at \$30,000 with the proviso that he should continue the business. The young man was undecided until word came that American troops were in the trenches in France. He telegraphed his refusal and continued his work for a commission.

## CHAMPAIGN HAS FIRST MEATLESS DAY

Champaign, Ill., Oct. 30.—Champaign had its first meatless day today, the eating houses serving only sea foods and fowls. The first meatless day will be on Wednesday. There was no objection at any of the places and business was as good as usual.

## SWITCHMEN DEMAND FIFTY PERCENT INCREASE

Adamson Law Did Not Increase Their Earnings

Law Passed in 1916 to Avert Nationwide Strike Merely Reduced Hours of Labor—Membership of Union About 20,000.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Demands for a fifty per cent wage increase will be submitted to the railroads of the United States by the members of the Switchmen's Union of North America, as a result of action taken by a special committee at a two days' meeting which ended here today. The Adamson law enacted in 1916 to avert a threatened strike reduced the daily hours of labor of the switchmen from 10 to 8 but did not increase their earnings.

The demand for a wage increase will be followed by a referendum vote on a nationwide strike of switchmen if it is not granted in thirty days it was announced by S. E. Heberling of Buffalo, president of the union. The thirty days' notice which the contracts of the union with the railroads require must be given before any change in a wage question can be taken up was served on railroads at once.

The increase was demanded, it was announced, because of the steady rise in the cost of living which the union men say has made their wages insufficient for a fair living. The demands are for a fifty per cent increase for switchmen, switch tenders and carmen, time and a half for time over eight hours labor in any 24-hours. The membership of the union is about 20,000.

Their wage scale is said to be approximately the same as seven years ago, except for the reduction in the hours of labor brought about by the Adamson law. The Chicago standard now in force provides \$3.50 a day for a day helper; \$3.80 a day for a day foreman; \$3.70 for a night helper and \$4 for a night foreman. Switch tenders now draw anywhere from \$30 a month up according to President Heberling and sometimes work as high as twelve hours a day. The special committee which authorized the demands comprised about 80 men and contained representatives from nearly every railroad system on which switchmen are members of the union.

## COMMANDER OF GERMAN SEA RAIDER CAPTURED

Five Members of Seeadler's Crew Taken With Leader—Were in an Armed Launch.

A Pacific U-boat, Oct. 30.—Count von Luckner, commander of the German raider Seeadler, was captured Sept. 21 off the Fiji Islands by British constabulary, according to the word brought by a steamer arriving today from a Trans-Pacific port. Five Germans of the Seeadler's crew were taken with their commander, officers of the arriving vessel said.

The Germans were in an armed launch and were pursued by the constabulary who were aboard the Steamer Amra.

This report of the capture of the Seeadler confirms a message to this effect received some time ago from Australia.

Just what became of others of the crew is not definitely known. One report was they were at sea in a commandeered vessel.

The Seeadler wrecked on the Mahepa Islands in the south Pacific some months ago sank three American vessels during her cruise in the Pacific.

Previously, in the Atlantic she put an end to sixteen vessels of various types. News of the destruction of the Seeadler was announced in Washington, Oct. 4.

## PEORIA BAKERY BURNS

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 30.—This was a wheelless day for a number of Peoria families that was not on the food conservation program, for fire which early this morning damaged the Schulte Bakery company's plant, destroyed twenty thousand loaves of bread. The loss is estimated at \$14,000.

## DECLARE EXTRA DIVIDEND

New York, Oct. 30.—Directors of the New York Stock Corporation today declared an extra dividend of three per cent on the common stock, together with the regular quarterly disbursement of one and a fourth per cent on the common and one and three-fourths on the preferred.

## GOVERNMENT WILL SUPERVISE MILLING

New York, Oct. 30.—Administrative supervision over the operation of all flour mills in the United States will be assumed by the milling division of the United States food administration effective November 1, it was announced here today. This action will be taken under President Wilson's proclamation of October 8.

## MANY SIGNATURES TO FOOD PLEDGE CARDS

Washington, Oct. 30.—Despite the handicap of bad weather the food administration had obtained tonight more than \$64,000 signatures to food pledge cards in the first two days of its intensive pledge campaign thru-out the country.

## WILL NOT SEIZE GERMAN EMBASSY BUILDINGS

Washington, Oct. 30.—It was officially stated today that the government has no intention of seizing the old German embassy buildings for the use of the enemy property custodian or for any other purpose. They will be returned to Germany untouched at the end of the war.

## Telegraph Notes

Havana, Oct. 30.—Exportation of refined sugar to neutral countries is prohibited in a presidential decree made public tonight.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Germany lost six million men in the three years of war, according to a declaration made in the reichstag by the Independent Socialist Ledebour.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—An enormous laundry, the largest in the navy and capable of washing 1,000,000 pieces of clothing a week will be put into operation at the Great Lakes Training Station this week.

La Paz, Oct. 30.—The Bolivian government, replying to a communication from the Brazilian government announcing that a state of war exists between Germany and Brazil has expressed sentiments of cordiality and sympathy with Brazil.

New York, Oct. 30.—Japan's full co-operation with the United States in the world war until Germany is crushed was pledged by Dr. T. A. Maso, chairman of the Japanese parliamentary mission at a luncheon given in honor of the mission here today by the Japan society.

London, Oct. 30.—News of the capture of Udine produced scenes of great enthusiasm in Berlin and Vienna according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph. Orders were issued that flags be flown and Emperor William and Emperor Charles exchanged congratulatory telegrams.

With the American Army in France, Monday, Oct. 29.—By the Associated Press—A full moon is shining tonight over the sector occupied by the American troops, flooding with its silver light the entire position and the surrounding country. It makes conditions favorable for snipers, but hinders the patrols from working freely in No-Man's land.

East St. Louis, Ill., Oct. 30.—Ray F. Rucker, assistant superintendent of the Aluminum Ore company testifying today before the congressional riot investigating committee said his company had been offered immunity from labor troubles if the company would pay \$10,000 to a certain man, whose name he gave the committee.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The declaration of the recent war convention of the chamber of commerce of the United States at Atlantic City that it is necessary that the government fix prices on all materials needed for the conduct of the war affecting the public welfare has been endorsed by a great majority of its members thruout the country.

New York, Oct. 30.—Subscriptions to the second Liberty loan in the New York federal reserve district have reached an official total of \$1,436,666,800, the Liberty loan committee announced tonight. The committee expressed greater confidence than ever that complete returns would place the district's subscriptions beyond the maximum quota, \$1,500,000,000.

## MUST SPEED UP SHIP CONSTRUCTION

Washington, Oct. 30.—The imminent necessity of speeding up ship construction was emphasized at a conference here today between Atlantic coast shipbuilders and officials of the emergency fleet corporation, the navy department, the department of labor and the American Federation of Labor. Unless the present labor shortage is relieved without delay officials claim it will be necessary to consider drastic methods of conscription of workmen.

## GROCERS MUST NOT SELL OLD BEANS

St. Louis, Oct. 30.—Grocers holding ragon beans have been instructed by the St. Louis commissioner not to sell them to the public. The health commissioner said an analysis of the beans showed that they contained 38 milligrams of hydrocyanic acid to each 100 grams of beans. This is a poison.

## WILL START WORK ON "GAS HOUSE"

Camp Dodge, Ia., Oct. 30.—Work on a "gas house" to be used in training National Army men at this cantonment in the use of gas masks, will be started in a few days, in accordance with plans submitted to the camp quartermaster today by Lieutenant Colonel Cooper, expert in this phase of training.

## MEATLESS DAY AT SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 30.—Hotels and restaurants in Springfield observed meatless day today, in accordance with the request of the food administration. Tomorrow will be a meatless day here. The meatless and wheelless program will be followed one day each week hereafter.

## TEN MILLION DOLLARS ADVANCED TO FRANCE

Washington, Oct. 30.—Ten million dollars more was advanced to France today by the government, bringing credits to the Allies to the total of \$2,866,400,000.

## GIVES TRANSPORTATION FIGURES

London, Oct. 30.—In the house of commons today Premier Lloyd George said that since the beginning of the war 13,000,000 men had been transported with a loss of only 3,500 and that of these only 2,700 had been lost through enemy actions.

## PRESIDENT DISCUSSES ITALIAN SITUATION

Consider Extension of Assistance By the Allies

It Appears America's Immediate Duty to Furnish Needed Supplies, Especially Coal for Italy's Munition Factories.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The Italian situation was discussed at length by President Wilson and his advisers at today's cabinet meeting, discussion touching immediate military aspects and the extension of assistance by the allies. Furnishing of supplies, especially coal, badly needed for Italian munition factories, is said to be regarded as this country's particular sphere of immediate action.

High officials here are said utterly to reject the opinion, advanced in some quarters that events in Italy can become decisive of the war or even an important turning point. It is felt that setbacks in Italy will act as a spur rather than a discouragement, both upon Italy and the other allies.

Further advices concerning the retreat are anxiously awaited in official and diplomatic quarters. Army officers as well as officials of the Italian embassy appear to be entirely confident that General Cadorna will be able to hold the Teutonic forces in check on the new line at which he has prepared for a stand.

Word that the British artillerymen with the Italian army had brought their guns thru the retirement was welcomed today as indicating that General Cadorna's men were holding their organization in the face of the smashing Austro-German assaults. The British guns are all big pieces it takes time to withdraw. If all of them have been saved, American officers think there is every reason to believe that much of the Italian infantry, vital to defense in a final stand also has been brought back.

Today's reports are taken to indicate that the artillery losses of the Italians, claimed by the Germans to be enormous comprise smaller pieces and mountain guns.

## COLD WAVE VISITS EASTERN HALF OF U. S.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The cold wave today overspread the eastern half of the country. Frost extended to the Gulf Coast, Texas and central Florida and snow fell a far south as Asheville, N. C. Lowest October temperatures of record at various points in Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Texas, Missouri, Indiana, Mississippi and Louisiana were reported today by the weather bureau. In eastern districts a sharp fall in the temperature this afternoon was forecast. Cold wave warnings were sent out for the territory from eastern Pennsylvania to northeast Florida.

## DOCTOR CHARGED WITH MURDER OF BROTHER

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 30.—Dr. Asa W. Chamberlain, the sixty-three year old retired physician, held in jail here for safe in keeping which Goochland county authorities charge him with the murder of his 65 year old brother, Judge Albert P. Chamberlain, seemed to be in a daze today and refused to talk about the charge against him, other than to reiterate his innocence.

Coming from Iowa three years ago the Chamberlains settled on a farm in the remote highlands north of James river. Dr. Chamberlain came from Webster, Ia., and Judge Chamberlain came from Des Moines.

## UNION OFFICIALS DRIVEN OUT OF TOWN

Salt Lake City, Utah, Oct. 30.—Four officials of the mine, mill and smelter workers' union who declare they were driven from Bingham by a group of vigilantes last week, appealed today to the county attorney for criminal complaints against the committee of Bingham citizens.

## NO GROUNDS FOR COMPLAINT

Des Moines, Oct. 30.—There is "absolutely no grounds for complaint for vice conditions," according to Henry F. Burr, of Minneapolis, war department member of the commission on training camp activities, speaking today at the Des Moines army cantonment.

## "PRIVATE" JOHN ALLEN DEAD

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 30.—"Private" John Allen, member of congress from Mississippi for sixteen years until his retirement in 1901 and one of the picturesque figures of that body in those days, died at his home in Tupelo, Miss., early today. He had been ill about two weeks.

## CHILD KILLED BY AUTO

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Zolo Magidsohn, three years old, was killed and her mother seriously hurt tonight when struck by an automobile owned by Charles Weighman, president of the Chicago National League Baseball Club. Harry Hogstrom, chauffeur was the sole occupant of the car.

## APPLICATION FOR INCORPORATION PAPERS

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 30.—Application for incorporation papers was filed here today with the secretary of state by the Pin Oak Plantation company of Quincy, Ill. Capital stock \$5,000.

## BERNSTORFF GIVEN MORE TITLES

Amsterdam, Oct. 30.—Count Von Bernstorff, the former ambassador to the United States, has been made a "wirlcher geheimer" by the German emperor, with the title of "excellency." The count is now ambassador at Constantinople.

## THIRTY-FIVE LETTERS TO SPELL ONE WORD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Thirty-five letters are required to spell the one word which, in German, is the equivalent of the four letter English "tank" or land battleship, which has worked such havoc in the present war. The German word is said to appear in official despatches received here is "Schutzengrabenverrichtungsautomobile" which freely translated is "a machine for suppressing shooting trenches."

## LUXBURG MESSAGES ARE MADE PUBLIC

Throw Further Light Upon Teuton Intrigue in S. America

Secretary Lansing Makes No Discussion of Messages Contents in Giving Them Out—Are Official Confirmation of Germany's Plan to Control Southern Brazil.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Two more of the notorious Count von Luxburg's messages to the German foreign office from Buenos Aires were made public tonight by Secretary Lansing. They provide official confirmation of Germany's plan to control southern Brazil, shed additional light upon Teutonic intrigue in South America generally and reveal that Luxburg appealed vainly for a squadron of submarines with which to awe some Latin-Americans and to flatter others with salutes.

These dispatches, like others that have gone before were given out by Secretary Lansing without discussion of their contents. The only comment was in this statement attached to the copies:

"In view of the fact that the substance of certain telegrams addressed by Count Luxburg to the German foreign office has been published the secretary of state makes public the actual text of the telegrams."

The messages follow:

No. 63, July 7, 1917.  
"Our attitude towards Brazil has created the impression here that our easy-going good-nature can be counted on. This is dangerous in South America where the people under thin veneer are Indians. A submarine squadron with full powers to me might probably still save the situation. I request instructions as to whether after a rupture of relations legislation is to start for home or to remove to Paraguay or possibly Chile. The naval attaché will doubtless go to Santiago de Chile."

No. 89, Aug. 4, 1917.  
"I am convinced that we shall be able to carry thru our principal political aims in South America, the maintenance of open market in Argentina and the re-organization of South Brazil equally well whether with or against Argentina. Please cultivate friendship with Chile. The announcement of a visit of a submarine squadron to salute the president would even now exercise decisive influence on the situation in South America. Prospect excellent for wheat harvest in December."

After the state department made public the "sink without trace" messages, which caused Argentina to hand von Luxburg his passports, the Argentine government sent to Washington several of the former German minister's dispatches for deciphering. Whether the two now published were among them or were obtained by the United States at the same time it came into possession of other telegrams forwarded to Berlin thru the Swedish legation at Buenos Aires is not disclosed. Several days ago press reports from Buenos Aires said a sensation had been created there by the publication of a despatch from Rio Janeiro saying the Brazilian foreign minister had made known translations of the Luxburg messages revealed a German plot to invade southern Brazil. The Argentine newspapers demanded then that their government either publish the dispatches of "authorities" or publication by a foreign government.

"The re-organization" of South Brazil referred to by von Luxburg is assumed here to refer to the activities of the Hamburg colonization company in connection with the large German element already located in that section. Several months before this dispatch was written there were reports of plans for a German insurrection.

## AVIATORS ACTIVE

London, Oct. 30.—Many tons of bombs were dropped yesterday on German military establishments in Belgium by British aviators, according to a statement from the admiralty which says enemy airbases at Engel, St. Dennis Westrem and Varsenare were bombed and direct hits made. Several railway stations also were struck, the report says, and one enemy machine was shot down.

## DEALERS IGNORE FOOD CONSERVATION REQUIREMENTS

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Complaints that retail food dealers here not only ignore food conservation requirements fixed by the national government but sneer at customers who seek to buy at prices fixed by the food administrator, were made today by members of the vocational art and industrial federation in a complaint to Harry W. Wheeler, food administrator.

## KAISER WILL DECIDE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

Washington, Oct. 30.—Berlin despatches received here by way of Switzerland say that Emperor William thru the head of the civil cabinet has informed the majority party leaders in the reichstag that he will make a definite decision during the coming week on the subject of the government's policy.

## SHIPBUILDERS WILL MEET U. S. OFFICIALS

Will Discuss Means to Speed Up Construction of Vessels

Big Problem Now Facing Builders Is Shortage of Labor—Would Name Committee to Cooperate with Government.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Measures to speed up construction of both naval and merchant vessels in the United States will be discussed at a meeting here tomorrow of the Atlantic Coast Steel shipbuilders with government officials. Representatives of seventeen plants will meet with representatives of the shipping board the labor and navy departments and the council of National Defense.

The chief problem facing the government and builders in obtaining maximum production of tonnage is the shortage of labor.

The shipbuilders' association will propose tomorrow that they be permitted to name a committee of five men to co-operate with the government in increasing tonnage production. Their proffer will suggest that this committee may be of assistance along the following lines:

Adjustment or standardization of shipyard wages. Collection, distribution and regulation of labor for emergency building.

Proper ordering, priority and delivery of shipbuilding materials. Co-ordination and co-operation by the navy and the shipping board with shipbuilders.

Determination of an equitable policy for the adjustment of unfinished contracts to conserve the interests of both the builders and the shipping board.

An adjustment of unfinished contracts is necessary, the builders hold, because of the fact that some yards that took contracts at low profits cannot meet high prices now demanded by labor.

## U. S. REPRESENTATIVES GIVEN BANQUET

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Thirteen American representatives and two senators were the guests of honor at a dinner given this evening at the Athenaeum Club by the lord high chancellor, Sir R. B. Finlay. The guests included Premier Lloyd-George, Arthur J. Balfour, Foreign Minister, American Ambassador Page, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Viscount French, Commander of the home forces; Lord Robert Cecil, and the Right Hon. J. W. Lowther, speaker of the house of commons.

The dinner had been finished and the guests were sitting when warning of an air raid was given. Viscount French immediately left the room to be followed a few minutes later by the premier.

Senators Kendrick of Wyoming and Kenyon of Iowa took of their experiences on the steamer on which they crossed the Atlantic which was attacked by a German submarine off the coast of Wales Saturday. The gunners on the steamer fired several shots at the submarine which came very close to the mark. The U-boat submerged before it had time to launch a torpedo.

## PENNY FAMINE FACES COUNTRY

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—New York faces a famine in pennies and the shortage has proved so embarrassing to Martin Vogel, assistant treasurer of the United States, that he is considering an appeal to the city's children to empty their savings banks in order to increase the number in circulation.

Ordinarily the government carries ten million pennies in stock at the sub-treasury in Wall Street, but the institution is now swept clear of its last copper, for the first time in the recollection of the officials.



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Second Lieutenant C. L. Rogers of Alton, Ill., now at Ft. Worth, Texas, subscribed for \$16,000 worth of gold bonds. He is 21 and a few months ago inherited \$81,000. A good investment is more proof of his patriotism as well.

## NO MIDDLE GROUND.

Sergt. Arthur Guy Empey, author of "Over the Top," says he knows lots of people in this country who were born in Germany and who are ready to fight for the U. S. against their fatherland. "They are the right kind of citizens, but they are not German-Americans. There are no such people as German-Americans. They are either Americans like the rest of us, or Germans."

## MOREBOBS FOR WOMEN.

And still another vocation has been opened to women. The Northwestern R. R. Co. recently appointed a woman as station master at Ames, Iowa. The new official wears a uniform indicating her position, and it is her duty to make train announcements and to give passengers any particular information they may desire. It is quite safe to guess that the position will be satisfactorily filled by the new appointee and that the Northwestern will name women for other like positions.

## A KU KLUX KLAN REVIVAL.

The Ku Klux Klan of 1917 has made its appearance in Kentucky, where Herbert S. Bigelow of the Peoples church of Cincinnati was spirited away into a dense Kentucky woods, tied to a tree and horse-whipped. His assailants wore robes and hoods of the same general type adopted by the Ku Klux Klan of the '60s. The attack on Bigelow was the result of his alleged pro-German utterances. Fortunately excuses for such action by a Ku Klux organization are not as many now for the federal government is so active in searching out the disloyal that pro-German utterances now are seldom heard.

## "HIS EXCELLENCY,"

### COUNT BERNSTORF.

The kaiser seems bent on heaping special honors upon Count von Bernstorff, former ambassador to the U. S., probably because he thinks thus to slap this government. Now the count has been made a "Wirk-

licher Geheimrat" with the title of excellency. It really makes little difference how many offices or titles von Bernstorff holds, for when Germany becomes a republic at no very distant day he will be just a plain ordinary citizen. But with titles without, the world is not soon going to forget his treacherous conduct while he was posing as an honorable representative of the German government and a friend of the U. S.

## AFTER THE WAR COMPETITION.

The Central Union of the German Wholesale Trade has recently issued a pamphlet dealing with Germany's trade problems upon the termination of the war, and among other things, recommends special effort for the export of such valuable commodities as potash and dyes. The American market looks good to the German dye makers and they hope to be able to put our dye industry out of business by keen competition.

When we had three-cent postage before we had also a three-cent coin, of nickel, often passed upon the unwary for a dime. We had also a two-cent coin, which was useful when two-cent postage arrived. Both coins are gone now, but three-cent postage is back again. How long it will stay, none can tell. It is made necessary by the war, we are told by way of consolation. It is also made necessary in part by the taxation policies of a Democratic Congress, which refuses to make use of the tariff to raise revenue for the government.

## FASHIONING A SPEAR.

The second Liberty Loan has been oversubscribed, but nevertheless a recent appeal to the public to buy bonds, spoken by Secretary Lane is worth quoting: "Give to Woodrow Wilson, the President of this Republic, of your gold and of your silver, that he may fashion therefrom a spear with which to overthrow the champion of the divine right of kings to make war when they will, where they will, and how they will. For this is the day of trial in which all men shall prove themselves whether they be for government by the soldier or government by the will of the people."

## DARROW IS PATRIOTIC.

Clarence Darrow of Chicago, who has long been prominent as a labor lawyer and who received a vast amount of criticism because of the part he took in defending the California dynamiters, is giving proof that he is entitled to rank among loyal Americans. For some time Mr. Darrow was classed as a pacifist but recently he said "I was a pacifist once and may be again, after the war is over. But that time will not come until the kaiser is hanged. To me the pacifist always speaks with a German accent."

## ENFORCING THE LAW.

Attorney General Brundage is again giving evidence of his intention to use his office to bring about the enforcement of law in this state. Representatives of his office once more are busy in St. Clair county and saloons that have been keeping open on Sunday in violation of the law will be prosecuted thru injunction methods. Recently at Brooklyn St. Clair county a man was shot in a Sunday saloon row and with this bit of evidence available the attorney general's office at once got into action.

Some officers get busy with law enforcement just a few months before election, but Mr. Brundage seems to believe in law enforcement

## RURAL ROUTE DEVELOPMENT.

While we think of the telephone, the telegraph, the automobile and the airship as the most certain marks of the wonderful progress of recent years, as a matter of fact that progress is just as strongly indicated by evidence of a different kind. It is just twenty years ago this month that the rural free delivery system was inaugurated in the U. S. Oct. 1, 1896, three routes were established as an experiment and now the service has grown until it includes 43,439 regular routes, providing daily mail service for 5,799,962 families, or a population of more than 26,000,000 people.

By this system, built up in twenty years, practically one fourth of the population of the U. S. have been given mail privileges which the people thirty years ago would have thought impossible. No other single item has done so much to make for the comfort of farm living. The distribution of mail has benefited directly these millions of people not only by giving them their letters and papers every day, but has benefited them also by the improved road conditions which have naturally

accompanied the establishment of rural routes. Life on the American farm is not dreary and humdrum as it was a quarter of a century ago and the marked change is due particularly to the rural mail service.

## IMPRESSING ALIENS WITH U. S. IDEALS.

The great need that exists for impressing the foreign born population of the U. S. with American ideals is indicated by a statement in a bulletin just issued by the bureau of naturalization of the U. S. department of labor. One-seventh of the population of the U. S. is foreign born and a very large percentage of this one-seventh have no adequate idea of American ideals. The past year night schools were maintained in 1,700 cities or localities for the instruction of aliens and very effective work was done. In addition in many cities when naturalization papers were issued the importance of the event was emphasized by patriotic programs and exercises purposing to impress the new citizens with something of the American spirit. The paragraph from the bulletin referred to is this:

"Approximately one-seventh of the population of the United States is foreign born, with a very large proportion ignorant of American ideals and institutions and, to that extent, loyal to the country of their birth. Never in the history of the nation has undivided support so sorely been needed. A knowledge of American government and what it stands for only can be gained by the aliens thru education, but, once understood, loyal allegiance to the country of their adoption inevitably follows. It means welding the heterogeneous masses into one patriotic body."

## Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

### MY CAR.

I used to have, in other times, a roll of greenbacks handy; I always could dig up the dimes to buy the kids some candy. And when my wife reared up and cried, "I have to have a bonnet," I stripped an X off and replied, "Go blow yourself, doggone it." But now I never have a plunk for anything we're needing; my money goes for costly junk to keep my auto speeding. But yesterday I soaked the tyre that I so long have hammered, that I might buy a rubber tyre for which the off wheel clamored. We're out of flour, we're out of coal, my wife is in a panic, because she sees me use my roll to pay a bum mechanic. I need a haircut and a shave, I need a shirt and collar, but how the dickens can I save when spark plugs cost a dollar? The kids have reached an evil pass; they need new shoes and raincoat; alas, the man who sells me gas demands an early payment. My auto takes every red cent and chugs with fenshish laughter; 'twill keep me broke till I am dead, and forty years thereafter. And when I quit life's griefs and pains, I can't afford a casket; they'll have to rake up my remains and plant me in a basket.

## THIS DATE IN HISTORY

October 31, 1848—Charter of the State Bank of Illinois expired, and Governor French, by authority of the last liquidation law, appointed Messrs. N. H. Ridgely, Uri Manly, and John Calhoun, trustees for finally closing its affairs.

Keep the kiddies warm in Brighton sleepers. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

## Social Events

### Whipple Academy Girls Entertain for the Young Men.

Monday evening in Phi Alpha hall at Illinois College the Tri Kappa girls of Whipple Academy entertained the young men of the academy in a delightful manner. The hours were spent socially, in dancing and various ways. The affair was en masse and afforded any amount of amusement and merriment. Nice refreshments rounded an evening of great pleasure. Coach Harmon and Miss Larrington, instructor in languages, served as chaperones.

### Children's Halloween Party.

Vineta and Isola Green entertained a Halloween party at their home on Webster avenue Tuesday evening. The little guests all came masked. Games suitable for the occasion were played, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Vera Todd, Louise Wintler, Elizabeth Hardesty, Katherine Erickson, Isola Green, Ophelia Birdsall, Opal Pattan, Orville Pattan, Vineta Green and Eva Green.

### B. A. R. Met with Miss Trabee.

Rev. James Caldwell chapter D. A. R. met with Miss Ella Trabee of Mount avenue Tuesday afternoon and sewed for the Red Cross. The ladies devote three Tuesday of the month to sewing. They began yesterday on their fourth coil of material for pajamas. The small pieces are used for making little shoes, hoods and other articles for the children abroad. The society has been meeting with Miss Trabee for the past few weeks and have accomplished a great deal of work. The society also has purchased Liberty bonds.

### FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Republican Candidate, Fred J. Scholfield, election Nov. 6.

### RECEIVER APPOINTED

Harry Frankel of Peoria, formerly proprietor of the Illinois Stock Exchange in this city, has been named by the court as receiver in the John E. Boland bankruptcy case. Mr. Frankel was in Jacksonville Tuesday to supervise the inventory of the Boland stock.

## M. E. MINISTERS

### MET WITH LAYMEN

Conference Arranged by District Superintendent Pletcher Held at Centenary Church—Themes of Large Interest Discussed.

The fall meeting of district stewards and preachers of Jacksonville district was held Tuesday at Centenary church and was marked by a large attendance of laymen and pastors. The program as arranged by Superintendent Pletcher was carried out in full. The meeting was organized by electing Rev. E. L. Pletcher, chairman and Rev. C. F. McKown of Athens as secretary. The opening devotions were conducted by Rev. G. T. Wetzel of the east Jacksonville circuit.

The subject for the morning discussion was "Looking Ahead," based on Proverbs 23-18. "Where there is no vision the people perish, but he that keepeth the law, happy is he." The sub-topic, "A Program for the Church," was happily presented by Rev. J. A. Betcher of Island Grove. Mr. Betcher stated that he made a program covering the activities of the church as well as attractive for his own personal studies. He planned to make religious service as attractive and interesting as possible. He spoke of the importance of the social life of the church and the plans that should be made for it, and stated that the social life of the church, if properly directed, could be made as interesting to the world as were a great many things that were taking people away from the church. He also insisted upon an active advertising campaign in which there was a liberal use of printer's ink at the regular rate, and said that by his own personal experience he had found this was one of the best ways of making the church more attractive and that this all should be done with prayer and done for the purpose of righteouslyness.

### District Work Shown by Chart

This called for a discussion which was participated in by C. E. Rice of Arenzville, Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick and E. G. Saye of Jacksonville. The sub-topic, "A Program for the District," was presented by Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick in a most forceful manner. Mr. Kirkpatrick had prepared a chart showing what Jacksonville district has done thru a period of years. He made the statement that the Jacksonville district was one of the districts that was far behind in all of its church activities in the Illinois conference. The figures presented showed that the churches of this district had not kept abreast of the work that was done in other parts of the conference.

A number of suggestions were made which in the mind of Mr. Kirkpatrick would cause marked strides. He suggested that immediately after the close of the conference a meeting similar to the one held Tuesday should be arranged, fully fuller and more elaborate in its details, and he suggested that this initial meeting should be followed up by a series of meetings during the year either as a whole or in groups, planning for some definite charge in the district. It was his suggestion that just before the close of the year, possibly a month before, there should be a final round-up at which time each pastor of the district should present what had been done and what was still unfinished, and they should gather inspiration and willingness to go back to their work to close up every item that was still in arrears.

The discussion of this paper was cut short by reason of the lunch that was to follow, but so impressed was District Supt. Pletcher by its excellence that he asked Mr. Kirkpatrick to give the paper so that he could have it upon his study table for future reference and for making his plans for the future of the district.

### Dr. Hanley Discussed Church and War

At 12:15 a most delightful menu was graciously and efficiently served by the Ladies Aid of Centenary church. District Supt. Pletcher and his good wife being the host and hostess for the company which numbered eighty five persons. Following the luncheon Mr. Fisher was introduced and sang in his usual delightful manner two selections and was followed by an address by Dr. Hanley on "The Relation of the Church to the Present War." This was delivered in Dr. Hanley's usual very effective and convincing manner. The main thought of the address was that in this time when the dress was being made for retrenchment and economy there is a tendency on the part of the people to follow the line of retrenchment in revival effort and the general activities of the church.

For the past four years Dr. Hanley and Mr. Fisher have been working in the leading cities in Canada. He made the statement that if he had given as much per capita as Canada has given we would have millions of men in the war instead of a few thousands, that if we were practicing the same economy here at home as was being practiced by the people of Canada and giving to the cause of the church as liberally as they were, not a single benefaction or activity of the church would in any way be curtailed but greatly increased. He related an incident of a lady whose son had been called to the service. She was accounted one of the very wealthiest women of London, Ontario. Her son was numbered among the killed and in what was apparently her despair she went to her home. But instead of devoting her time to social efforts she threw her splendid energies into the cause of the soldiers in the field and those that were brought back home, opening her own home for a hospital, and where she had given dollars she was pouring out money by thousands of dollars. He related another incident of a man who was highly successful in business and had been

giving \$100 a year to the cause of the church. Since the war he had given an average of \$700 to meet the conditions imposed by the war and he was now paying \$400 a year to the support of the church.

Dr. Hanley related many pathetic incidents that greatly touched the hearts of his hearers.

### Stewards Hold Session

Following the luncheon the district stewards held a meeting for the purpose of fixing the salary of the district superintendent, which was placed at 8 per cent of the pastoral salary. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon Rev. W. S. Phillips of Carlinville led in the song service and Rev. W. W. Henry of Havana was represented and read a most delightful paper on "The Preacher as a Man Among Men." This paper was enthusiastically received and so excellent was it that many of those present expressed the wish that it might be given publication. This will appear in a later edition of the Journal.

Miss Bertha Beadles, deaconess connected with the Craddock School for Boys at Quincy, was introduced and spoke in the interest of her school. This was one of the very touching addresses of the occasion. Miss Beadles spoke relative to the character of the work and the people that were served at this institution, and when she closed there were few dry eyes in the audience.

### Conference Claimants Campaign

The general topic of "Rounding Up the Conference Claimant Campaign" providing a sum for retired ministers, was the theme of discussion for the afternoon and was introduced by addresses from E. G. Saye of Jacksonville and C. C. Grimmer of Palmyra, secretary-treasurer of the Illinois Conference Laymen's association. These gentlemen discussed the importance and necessity of getting under this movement from the laymen's standpoint. Mr. Grimmer related the experiences of his home church. He caught the vision of the importance of meeting the demands of the conference claimant's fund and went to his home and made the proposition that he would assume a certain proportion of it if the other members of the congregation would take care of the balance. Last year this was fully subscribed and something near \$200 additional was added to the proportionate part of the Palmyra church.

Dr. H. C. Gibbs, the secretary for the conference claimants' fund was introduced and delivered a most impressive address on the importance of meeting the requirements that were imposed on the Illinois conference. This was followed by a round table and general discussion in which a very large number of the members of the conference participated. Some definite plans were agreed on and during the coming months Dr. Gibbs will visit the respective charges and present this cause. At this point in the deliberations Mr. Martin L. Kephling of Carlinville presented a resolution which had been prepared by Rev. W. S. Phillips, commemorating the work of Martin Luther.

### District Changes

A number of new charges have been added to the Jacksonville district the past year, covering twelve counties or parts of counties in this part of Illinois. Every charge was represented at this meeting. At the request of Dr. F. B. Madden a number of the preachers and laymen stayed over for the Hanley-Fisher services this evening. These are being entertained by members of the respective churches of the city. At the morning session two new men recently transferred to this conference were introduced. They were Rev. J. A. Betcher of Island Grove, who comes from the Maine conference, and Rev. C. L. Stokes of Bluffs Springs, who comes from the southern Illinois conference. Others introduced were Evangelist Stout of Carrollton and Mrs. J. R. Harker and Mrs. F. L. Pletcher. Among the visitors were Dr. F. M. Tule of Jacksonville; Dr. F. A. McCarthy of Quincy; Rev. N. L. Nelson, Barry, Dr. H. C. Gibbs, Decatur, field secretary for the Conference Claimants' fund.

### DANCE WED. EVE., OCT. 31

WOODMEN HALL, S. S. SQ. Large-Carroll orchestra, auspices M. W. A. No. 912, Ol Spaulding, floor manager. This is the second of the series to be given this winter.

### POSTERS FOR REGISTRATION DAY

Pupils of the 6th and 7th grades in the public schools under the direction of Miss Harriet Seibert, art instructor, are making posters to be used in connection with registration day for women Nov. 6 Wednesday, Nov. 7. These posters are made of white paper and decorated in red and blue colors.

The first installment was received yesterday from the Washington school, 41 posters resulting from the work of the children there. They were so interested in what they were doing that they all returned to school Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock instead of 1:30 in order to spend the half hour in putting on the finishing touches. The posters will be displayed in the business district to serve as a reminder to women of the registration day date. The name of the boy or girl who made each poster is shown in one corner.

### BEARDSTOWN MINISTER REWARDED FOR BRAVERY

Rev. George Williams, pastor of the Congregational church of Beardstown, has been awarded a medal and a reward of \$1,000 by the Carnegie Hero Commission. The award was made in recognition of the minister's services in saving Walter Shinnall from death by drowning in the Illinois river.

### PROBATE COURT

In the estate of Hettie Braner, the petition for private sale of personal property was allowed.

In the conservatorship of E. J. Jockisch, the report was approved. S. J. Kamm, executor of the estate of Elizabeth Davenport, thru his attorney, W. W. Wright, has filed a report of his actions.

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# GIRLS WHAT WOULD YOU DO FOR A PEARL NECKLACE?

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## CITY AND COUNTY

R. W. Hoffman of Bath was a Jacksonville caller yesterday.  
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Dressed Ducks for Saturday only. Get your order in Friday.

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Nice fresh salt Herring at 15c.

Parties for whom we are holding Flour will please call for it as we are expecting another car of flour and are needing the room.

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### THE HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Hallowe'en, with all its mysterious and superstitious traditions, is becoming more and more a night for social functions and frolic.

No doubt you are planning for it now. What gown are you going to wear?

Better look it over—perhaps it may require a little attention in the dry-cleaning way; if so, call us by phone and you will be surprised how much better it will look when we return it to you. It will be practically new again.

You need have no fear of disappointment. Promptness in delivery is one of our hobbies.

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FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD

Both Phones 721

Atlanta spent some time in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Alfred Spaenhowe helped represent Pisgah in the city Tuesday.

Lail Fox of Sinclair spent some time in the city yesterday.

Newton Gish of Carrollton was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

G. W. Hoffman of Bath was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Jasper Shaddid has returned from a visit with friends in Decatur.

R. R. Nicholson of Springfield spent some time in the city yesterday.

Ed J. Landis was among the Lynnville residents who visited the city Tuesday.

Wilson Carter of Hillview was numbered among the Tuesday visitors in the city.

Melvin McLaughlin was among the Winchester visitors to the city yesterday.

George Wheeler of Sinclair was a business visitor in Jacksonville Tuesday.

John Bretz, the contractor, has returned from a short visit to Springfield.

George Harney of the vicinity of Arnold spent several hours in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Keplinger of Franklin paid the city a short visit yesterday.

S. B. Smith of Springfield was among the out of town callers in the city yesterday.

Charles E. Seymour of Franklin paid the city a business visit Tuesday.

Frank Smith of Franklin was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Joseph Henderson of southeast of the city spent several hours in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Graves Bros. of west of the city were transacting business in the city Tuesday.

C. V. Arter of Wichita, Kans., is visiting relatives and friends in Jacksonville.

C. W. Rigg of Hersman was numbered among the Tuesday callers in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hornbecker of Bowen were in the city Tuesday for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ford of Greenville were business callers in the city yesterday.

Miss Rose Walsh of Woodson was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. John Fox of White Hall spent some time in the city Tuesday attending to fall shopping.

John Caruson of Murrayville was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. F. S. Sheppard of the south part of the county paid the city a shopping visit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mason of the east part of the county were callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. H. Kennedy of Murrayville was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Becker of Alexander spent some time in the city Tuesday.

J. C. Brech of the region northwest of Virginia spent some time in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Samuel Farmer was among Pisgah residents who paid the city a business visit yesterday.

H. A. Flock of Springfield was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

R. G. Nicholson of Springfield was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Turner of Waverly was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

J. S. Johnson of Akron, Colorado, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Woolam on East College street.

Clark Stevens of Orleans drove to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

Benjamin Smith of Woodson traveled to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

J. W. Berry of Nortonville was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Ida Deere and mother rode up to the city from Franklin in their Overland car yesterday.

Miss Doris Thompson of Alexander was a traveler to the city in her Overland car yesterday.

Mrs. T. W. Hennessey visited over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bridget Gaul at Alexander.

A. N. Hoover of north of Jacksonville was a business caller in the city yesterday.

J. M. Middendorf of east of town was calling on business acquaintances in Jacksonville yesterday.

A. B. McKinney of near Lynnville was among the Jacksonville business callers Tuesday.

Charles Watson of south of the city was calling on Jacksonville friends Tuesday.

John Cully of the Ashbury neighborhood was among the business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

G. A. Leach of west of Jacksonville was among the Jacksonville business visitors yesterday.

Samuel Mills of the Lynnville neighborhood was calling on friends in Jacksonville Tuesday.

O. C. Cromwell of the Buckhorn neighborhood was among the business visitors in the city Tuesday.

Miss Anna Ranson of Franklin was among the out of town shoppers in Jacksonville Tuesday.

D. H. Hartley of Virden was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Wall Mason of Litterberry was calling on business acquaintances in Jacksonville Tuesday.

William George of Rock Island was among the business callers in Jacksonville Tuesday.

W. K. Maxwell of Chicago was calling on business men in Jacksonville yesterday.

M. R. Owens of Scottville was among the out of town callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

R. W. and George F. Rodgers of Waverly were business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sheppard of Woodson were Jacksonville shoppers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson of Franklin were arrivals in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Charles Seymour of Franklin was calling on friends in Jacksonville Tuesday.

George Wheeler of Sinclair was a Jacksonville business visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Fox of White Hall was calling on friends in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. M. C. Petefish of Litterberry was trading with local merchants Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Carrol of South East street has returned from a visit of three days with friends in Springfield.

Mrs. S. W. Nichols and Miss Margaret English made a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Pyatt of Arnold yesterday.

B. C. Kitner and family have gone to Carthage where Mr. Kitner has a good position with the highway commission.

Rev. W. S. Phillips of Carthage found he was by no means a stranger in Jacksonville when he appeared in the city at the meeting at Centenary church.

Miller Weir was a business visitor in Springfield Tuesday, called there duties in connection with the state auditor's office.

Miss Minnie Newhardt, Mrs. Frank Speidel, Mrs. Ed. McNamara and Miss Anna Flynn spent Sunday very pleasantly at the home of Miss Kate Smith at Mt. Sterling.

John C. Carter of the Strawn's Crossing neighborhood was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Judge Norman L. Jones was a Jacksonville visitor for a short time Tuesday. He was on his way from Springfield to Carrollton to see his son who is very ill with typhoid fever. Young Jones is being cared for by a trained nurse.

Men's mid-winter sleeping GARMENTS. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

SIX MONTHS TO RECOVER PEARLS OR ENTER HAREM

This is the agreement made by a beautiful young American girl. Her father is held as a hostage, and if she fails to return at the appointed time, he will die.

It all happens in the 1st episode of Pathé's new serial at Scott's Theatre Saturday. Mollie King is the star with Creighton Hale and Leon Barry featured. Pretty Miss King is Ilma, brought up in the land of the crescent by her foster father, a Turk.

He was highly honored, when the Seven Pearls were entrusted to his care by the Sultan. He promised to guard them with his life, but they are stolen from him indirectly thru Ilma's fault.

Harry Drake, a careless, susceptible New York youth, of good family and some money, is traveling in Europe. He is looking for adventure; strolling through the streets, he happens to wander into the vicinity of Ilma's home. Ilma goes out into a little walled garden on the top of her house and sings and plays on a harp in the moonlight. The romantic Harry hears the sound and tries to locate the voice. Finally by edging along a narrow path at the edge of the water, he gets right below her and sings back. Curious, Ilma peeks over the garden wall. Leaning over too far, she loses her grip and falls into the Bosphorus. Harry makes a fine rescue, but her screams bring several Turks on the spot.

In her gratitude, Ilma permits Harry to kiss her. This enrages the Turks, who, thinking of the disgrace attendant upon allowing a Christian to look upon a woman's face, beat him, take all his money and throw him back into the Bosphorus. Ilma receives as punishment the penalty of wearing her veil for a month. Harry revives and finds that the Turks have robbed him of everything. He has no funds in Constantinople.

Then comes the theft of pearls, thru a series of interesting developments.

Miss King, who takes the part of Ilma in "The Seven Pearls," says: "In our search for the pearls Mr. Hale and I go through the earth, fire, water and air. I am sent up in a balloon tied by a rope which is being eaten away by acid and Mr. Hale comes to me in a dirigible. We make a parachute descent but fall into a lake and have our troubles there. The villain attempts to drown us in a specially prepared cellar to his house and sets his house on fire over our heads. We go into an abandoned mine and find in it a den of counterfeiters and have an interesting time with the gang."

Don't miss this wonderful serial. Starts this Saturday, Nov. 3.

Denatured alcohol \$1.20 per gal. at Obermeyer's drug store.

UNCLE SAM'S BOYS HELP BUILD SALVATION ARMY HUTS

Commissioner Thomas Estill, Salvation Army leader in the Western States, has received a cable from his representative with the American troops in France, Lieut. Colonel William Barker, that seven huts are now completed and in operation with a Salvation Army Officer and wife in charge of each. General Pershing selected the locations and detailed soldiers to assist in the erection of the huts with greatest dispatch. These huts are crowded nightly with enthusiastic boys who welcome the Salvationists as a bit of sunshine from home. Colonel Barker sends urgent request for married Salvation Army Officers to take charge of additional huts now in course of erection. The Army has already sent ambulance crews to France who are now in training. Twelve ambulances have been shipped and seventeen more will be ready when needed. Thirty six ambulances operated by The Salvation Army since the opening of the war among the British and French troops, have already carried more than fifty thousand wounded men from the battlefields. One million dollars has been spent by The Salvation Army in their work among the troops of the Allies and they are now appealing for \$200,000.00 for operations among the American troops.

## SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE MEETING

Was Held in Rooms Tuesday Evening With Good Attendance—Eugene P. Lies Superintendent of United Charities in Chicago Will Be Speaker at Annual Meeting—Other Business Transacted.

At the regular meeting of the Social Service League at its rooms in the King building Tuesday evening announcement was made that Eugene P. Lies of Chicago, superintendent of the United Charities of that city would be the principal speaker at the annual meeting in November.

There was a satisfactory attendance of members and considerable business of importance was transacted. President Perrin presided, Miss Weller superintendent of the league made a brief report of her work since the last meeting.

A committee of three, consisting of Mrs. William W. King, A. C. Rice and Miss Marian Fairbank, was appointed to make arrangements for the annual meeting. C. W. Story chairman of the finance committee to give a report of the plans of the committee for a campaign of the entire city for memberships. The campaign will begin in the near future. At the annual meeting the various officers will make brief reports.

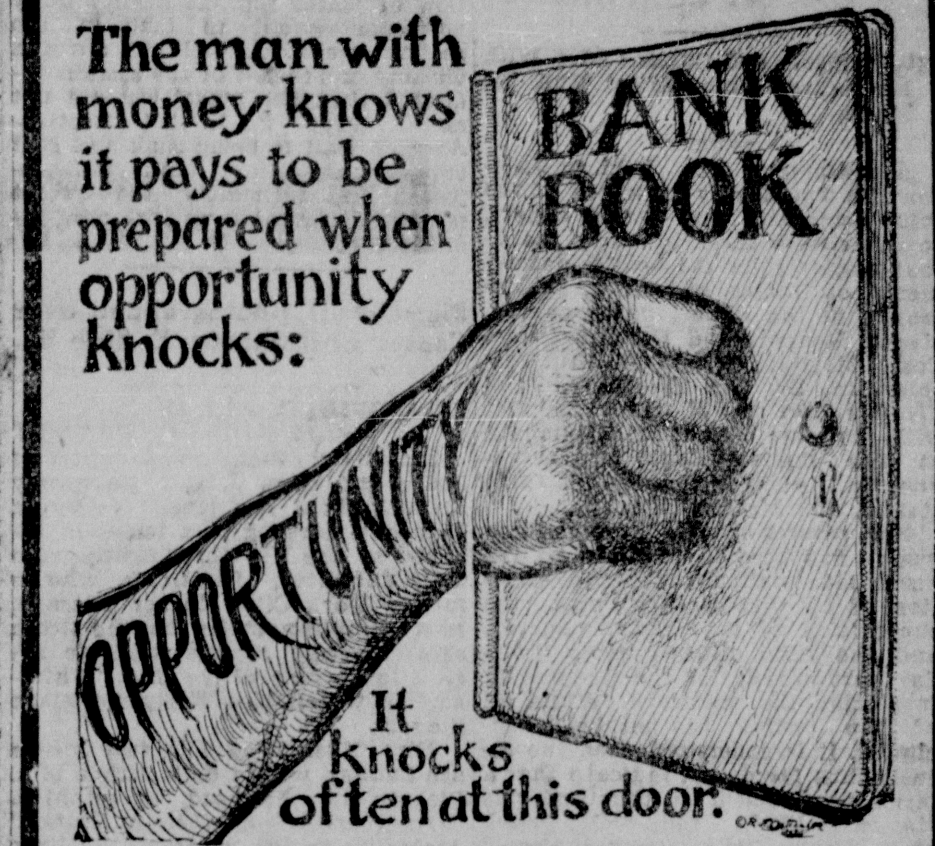
President Perrin recommended that a publicity committee be appointed. It will be the duty of this committee to keep the public informed of the league, its work and its objects. A letter was read from the Rev. Myron L. Pontius offering to give a moving picture show in the near future, the proceeds to go to the league. The offer was received with thanks and referred to the relief committee with power to act.

Reports were made by Mrs. Keith Montgomery for the relief committee and by Mrs. E. P. Cleary for the Case committee.

The president appointed the following nominating committee, Mrs. Keith Montgomery, L. O. Vaughn and Miss Mary Adsworth which will recommend nominations at the annual meeting.

## HERE TO STUDY RETAIL GROCERY PLAN

R. O. Ahlenius, a Galesburg grocer, was in Jacksonville Tuesday to visit



If a good business chance were offered YOU today, are you in a position to grasp it? You would be if you had BANKED the money you have spent on things you really didn't need.

Begin NOW. Open an account in our bank. Pile up your dollars and it won't be long before your opportunity will come AGAIN.

PUT YOUR MONEY IN OUR BANK

We pay 3 per cent interest.

F. G. Farrell & Co.

the store of A. R. Taylor. The Galesburg man came here to get some first hand information about the plan of retailing which Mr. Taylor adopted a number of weeks ago and which is

proving very satisfactory both to him and to his customers. R. H. Adams of Peotone was a Tuesday visitor to the city.

## IF YOU SPEND ALL

Some one else deposits your savings. Why don't you save a little each week and join.

## The Farmers State Bank & Trust Company Weekly Savings Club

maturing in 50 weeks, where your weekly deposits will earn interest, and save something, no matter how little, each week, until saving becomes a fixed habit.

STEADY SYSTEMATIC SAVING

is the cornerstone of success.

We Issue Passbooks for Weekly Payments of

10 Cents 25 Cents 50 Cents

One Dollar Two Dollars Five Dollars

and for one cent, two cent, five cent and ten cent ascending and descending weekly payments.

Save to Get Ahead. Save for a Definite Purpose.

A convenient and easy way to accumulate money to buy a Liberty Bond or start a savings account, for your tuition at school, for your vacation, to pay insurance premiums, partial payments on your home, taxes, interest and other fixed charges or anything you are planning which requires a sum of money.



## Weekly Savings Club

You Can Join Any Time  
Don't Wait Longer.

DO IT NOW!

Liberty Loan Bonds on Weekly Payments



## WATER SUPPLY THEME AT CONFERENCE

City Officials and Citizens Met With Engineers—More Tests Will Be Made.

A conference was held in Jacksonville Tuesday by members of the joint committee on water supply, together with M. C. Sjoblom, assistant engineer for the health department of Illinois, and H. C. Haber-meyer, of the Illinois water survey. Mayor Rodgers and Commissioners Cox, Martin, Widmayer and Vasconcellos, Dr. Carl E. Black, John W. Merrigan and M. R. Fitch, met with the state officials at a luncheon at the Dunlap House and subsequently visited the north side station and Morgan lake.

For several months past drilling work has been in progress at the north side station under the direction of Mr. Vasconcellos, with the supervision of the water survey, and the state officials came Tuesday particularly for the purpose of inspecting the test work. While all of the testing has not been concluded, it is understood that the results thus far do not indicate that a large development at the north side station is likely. The wells sunk near North Main street indicated that the gravel bed did not extend

that far west. The well put down to a depth of 175 feet showed a good flow of water but the quality is by no means equal to that in the shallow wells. A well put down a distance northeast of the station indicated that the gravel bed did not extend very far in that direction. Another well is being sunk and still other investigation work is projected, and ultimately the result may be different from that now indicated.

McDougall, photographer, over Coover and Shreve, E. Side Sq.

## SPRINGFIELD GIRL IN

### WAR WORK IN FRANCE.

Miss Mary Humphrey, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. Otis Humphrey of Springfield has landed safely in France, according to a telegram received by the Humphrey family from their daughter, Miss Grace, who is in New York City. In her message, Miss Humphrey reports that the steamship company reports the safe arrival in France of the liner "Chicago," on which Miss Humphrey made the trip.

Miss Humphrey left two weeks ago Sunday with a unit, with a Mrs. Dickson at the head, to establish day nurseries 'somewhere in France.' According to the telegram, the liner arrived in France Friday.

## FINE PRODUCTION PROMISED FRANKLIN

"The Deacon" Will Be Presented at Marquette Hall Thursday Night—Vocal Solos Included in Program.

When "The Deacon," a lively five act drama, is presented at Marquette hall in Franklin tomorrow night, a play of unusual merit will be staged. In connection with this presentation there will be vocal solos by Miss Marguerite Butler, soprano, with Miss Ruth Duncan as accompanist. These young women are from Illinois college conservatory of music and the management of the entertainment feels very fortunate in having secured their services. The program will begin at 7:50 o'clock and admission fee will be 25c, with an additional charge of 10c for reserved seats, which are on sale at the store of William Whalen. The cast of characters for "The Deacon" includes young people of Sacred Heart parish, well known in the Franklin neighborhood. This is the cast:

Deacon Thornton, Mrs. Thornton's brother-in-law with a passion for lemonade with a stick in it—Harry Walsh.

George Graef, Mrs. Thornton's nephew—Morgan Ryan.

George Darrah, alias Matt Wheeler—Richard Whalen.

James Reed, a friend of Darrah's—Clayton Anderson.

Pedro, an organ grinder—Charles Parson Brownlow—Martin Carroll.

Pete, Mrs. Thornton's servant—John Whalen.

Billy, the Deacon's boy—James Seaver.

Mrs. Thornton—Dorothy Luke-man.

Helen, her daughter—Agnes Berg-schneider.

Miss Amelia Fawcett, Mrs. Thornton's maiden sister—Nellie Kennedy.

Mrs. Darrah, George Darrah's wife—Sadie Murphy.

Nellie, her child—Elre Lukeman.

Daisy, Mrs. Thornton's servant—Margaret Puhl.

Violinist, Policeman, Villagers, etc.

Not the largest assortment but the latest styles of men's OVERCOATS are shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

## MATRIMONIAL

Cowgaur-Garvin.

Ralph C. Cowgaur and Miss Florence A. Garvin were united in marriage at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the rectory of the church of Our Savior, the Rev. Father Cahill officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Louise Trahey and Donald Butler.

The bride is the daughter of John Garvin residing northeast of the city. She is a graduate of the Roodhouse high school and is an accomplished musician. She is a young woman possessed of great personal charm and many womanly graces and these have won for her many friends.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cowgaur of 113 South East street. He was born and reared in this city and holds a position with the Wabash railroad in this city. He is a young man of integrity and commands the respect of all who know him.

The bride wore a handsome blue traveling suit with hat and gloves to match and wore a corsage bouquet of sweet peas. The bridesmaid was charmingly gowned in a brown traveling suit with hat and gloves to match and wore a corsage bouquet of Ward roses.

Following the ceremony the wedding party motored to Springfield where a four course wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dirksen. The Dirksen home was tastefully decorated for the occasion the color scheme being yellow and white.

After a brief wedding journey in the south, Mr. and Mrs. Cowgaur will be at home after November 15 at the home of the bride's father northeast of the city.

## WOULD DO AWAY WITH USELESS ANIMALS

P. P. Lewis, president of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture and food administrator of St. Louis County, has announced that he would have the Women's Committee of National Defense of St. Louis county do everything in their power to rid the county of parrots, cats, dogs and all pets that were not "vitally important to the household" and thereby conserve food.

He said he will ask the women to request every resident of the county to sell or give away such pets, as they consumed more food than persons believed.

## BYRON GRAFF BEGINS HIS ARMY SERVICE.

Byron Graff of this city, chief warrant clerk in the office of State Auditor Andrew Russell, who enlisted several months since, has been called into the army service and assigned to duty at Houston, Texas. He will have the rank of sergeant and will serve in the ordnance department. Mr. Graff who has been very popular with his associates in the auditor's office was presented with a wrist watch before his departure.

## AUTOISTS FROM THE EAST

A. P. Garvin, J. L. Woods and Andrew Stout arrived in the city Monday night from Cleveland, Ohio, bound for Denver, Colo. They were prospectors looking for something in the great west and well equipped in every way for their journey.

## INSURANCE MEN IN CONFERENCE.

Jacksonville insurance agents held a meeting at the Ayers National Bank building Tuesday afternoon. Various matters of interest to the underwriters were discussed but no special action was taken.

## ILLINOIS NEWS

The Ninety-Ninth Anniversary—Rapid Transit—Lowden to Visit Camp Taylor—War Time Farming.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 30.—With the four living ex-governors of Illinois present, members of the Illinois centennial commission and the Illinois state historical society will celebrate the ninety-ninth anniversary of the admission of Illinois to the union in this city, December 3, it was announced today.

Governor Frank O. Lowden will be toastmaster at a banquet at night, after an afternoon round table discussion of plans for the centennial celebration in 1918.

It is planned to have every county in Illinois represented at the afternoon meeting and at the banquet. Former Governors Joseph M. Fifer, Bloomington; Richard Yates, Springfield and Charles S. Deneen and Edward F. Dunne, both of Chicago, will deliver short addresses. Col. Clark E. Carr of Galesburg will speak on some phases of Illinois history.

To Visit Camps. In order to acquaint himself with conditions at military camps where Illinois troops are quartered, Governor Frank O. Lowden will visit camps in the first week in November.

The governor will be accompanied by Adjutant General Frank S. Dickson. They will go first to Camp Grant at Rockford, thence to Camp Dodge at Des Moines, Ia., Camp Taylor at Louisville, Ky., and Camp Logan at Houston, Texas.

Two days will be spent at each camp, according to present plans.

Rapid Transit in the Early Days. The early Illinoisans found it difficult to get mail or to travel from place to place because there were no established transportation facilities. Mail arrived at Kaskaskia at irregular intervals and sometimes the Kaskaskia newspapers worked under great difficulties. For instance, on November 20, 1817, this notice appeared in the Intelligencer:

"We regret that our readers are again compelled to take hold of a barren paper but the floods which have been so unseasonably and unexpectedly poured upon us of late have prevented the usual arrivals of the eastern mails; three weeks have now expired since we have had a mail."

But on January 20, 1819, a new era began. On that date James Watson of Kaskaskia announced in the Kaskaskia papers that he had established a stage coach service from Kaskaskia to St. Louis. His announcement states that "he can accommodate four stage passengers each trip he makes with the mail to St. Louis. He starts from Kaskaskia every Sunday morning and arrives at St. Louis the next day at 2 p. m. Returning he leaves St. Louis every Tuesday morning and arrives at Kaskaskia the ensuing evening. Fare, \$4.00 each passenger, payable in advance."

This marked the beginning of regular stage service in Illinois, but even with this service travel was irregular and difficult.

Market facilities were so poor that it was almost impossible to market products of the land, and in fact, little effort was made to sell corn and wheat, although corn frequently brought as high as 75c to one dollar. Only those living along the river could find a ready market. A young farmer of the period wrote: "Corn is worth in this settlement, 75c. In other places around us they have had the conscience to take a dollar per bushel. I do not think there is corn enough in the country to supply it owing to the rapid settlement. Yet this farmer was concerned not with raising for the market, but only for his own use. 'Our corn,' he continued, 'we must not neglect under the penalty of starving.' The attitude of this man seems to have been a prevalent one at that time; each and all raised produce, not primarily to sell, but to save themselves from being obliged to buy."

## War Time Farming.

"War Time Farming" is the subject that will focus attention on the annual meeting of the Illinois Farmers Institute to be held at Greenville, Illinois, February 13th, 20th and 21st next, it has just been announced by H. E. Young, secretary of the institute.

"We hope to make this the biggest meeting of the kind in Illinois since the war began," Mr. Young stated in announcing the purpose of the gathering. "And going hand in hand with the farming phase is the household conservation idea, on which the women of the state have been working for several months."

## WILL ELIMINATE PARTY DIFFERENCES

ROME, Oct. 30.—The effect of the Austro-German offensive on the political situation has been to eliminate party differences. The retiring cabinet is expected to remain with comparatively few changes under premiership of Professor Vittorio Orlando.

Selection of Professor Orlando to form a new ministry was announced today. Signor Giolitti aroused much opposition by his activities in behalf of neutrality and in the summer of 1915 was reported to have fled from Italy in fear of his life. In May of that year he was reported to have gone to Berlin for an audience with Emperor William. After Italy entered the war he announced his support of the government and urged Italians to rally to the king and government during the war.

## AN AUTOMOBILE PARTY

An automobile party consisting of C. E. Harrin, E. G. Harvey, J. H. Sanders and J. L. Holmes of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived in the city Monday evening enroute for the east. They were on business and pleasure combined and were traveling in an Overland and making good time and were in fine spirits.

## FOUR SUITS FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT

Executors of Nunes Estate Seek Life Insurance Payment—Drainage District Commissioners Begin Foreclosure Proceedings.

J. E. Pires and Samuel Nunes, as executors of the will of William Nunes, thru their attorney, J. O. Priest, have filed a suit against the Clover Leaf Casualty company. The declaration was placed on record Tuesday in the office of Circuit Clerk Boston for hearing at the November term of court. It is set forth that the late Mr. Nunes took out an insurance policy Dec. 20, 1915, and that by the contract terms of this policy \$1500 is now due the estate as Mr. Nunes was killed on a railroad crossing last May. The declaration is that the company thus far has declined to make payment.

Norman Dewees, by his attorneys, Owen P. Thompson and P. P. Thompson, has brought suit in assumpsit against Walter W. Robertson, alleging an indebtedness of \$2,000. Only the praecipe has been filed in this proceeding.

J. P. Lippincott as attorney for Thomas Waggener, has brought suit in assumpsit against George Waggener, based on a claim of \$675.

Foreclosure proceedings have been instituted by L. O. Vaught as attorney for the commissioners of the Mauvais-terre Creek Drainage district against John Frank. The suit is brought in the name of J. A. Moss, F. J. Blackburn and H. E. Oglo, commissioners of the district, and it is set forth in the bill that the assessment of \$1,338.24 against the property of the defendant and approved by the court, remains unpaid.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county commissioner on the Democratic ticket at the election to be held November 6.

David Wilson.

## ZION

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Whitlock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Irlan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jackson Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Hart visited with Mrs. Josephine Spencer Sunday afternoon. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Rousey Saturday night, an 8½ pound son.

Misses Ella Lyons and Margaret Donahue of Franklin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson.

Mrs. William Brown is visiting relatives in Nebraska this week.

Chas. Rousey and D. Drennan of Franklin spent Sunday at the home of the former's son, T. F. Rousey and family.

William Brown and Thos. Langdon called on Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson Saturday night.

Isiah Whitlock spent Saturday with his son Herbert Whitlock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Crabtree of South Jacksonville were calling on this route Sunday afternoon.

Robt. Covington of Poplar, Mont., spent from Wednesday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Whitlock, Miss Hazel Wood, Roy and Robert Covington motored to the river Thursday.

Jesse Covington was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Miss Mildred Turner of Jacksonville spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Alma Mutch.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGrath were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jane Neighbors is very ill suffering with stomach trouble.

Henry Osborne met with what might have been a very serious accident Thursday afternoon as he was returning from Sullivan, Ill., when his Ford car turned turtle on Woodson and Franklin road east of Clements. Mr. Osborne escaped with but a few bruises and considers himself lucky, with the exception of considerable damage to his car.

## HAS BETTER CHANCE THAN HONEST MAN

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Oct. 30.—There are some justice courts in East St. Louis where a criminal has a better chance than an honest man, Dr. A. B. McQuillan testified today before the congressional committee investigating the race riots. This statement was made by the witness under questioning by Congressman Raker.

"Why don't you make it so uncomfortable that every mother's son of these justices will resign?" asked Mr. Raker.

Dr. McQuillan said he thought conditions were improving.

"We have good citizens here," he said, "but they had grown calloused; it took a great tragedy to awaken them."

Dr. McQuillan, who is physician for the Aluminum Ore company told of his narrow escape during the riots, when he was shot by members of a negro mob and he and his wife dragged from their automobile. He said a negro in the crowd recognized him as the physician who treated the men injured at the ore company plant and he and his wife then were released.

## NORTHMINSTER SUPPER

THURSDAY, NOV. 1ST, 5 P. M.

Fried Chicken Glibet Gravy

Mashed potatoes Glazed sweet potatoes

Salad Jelly

Apple Sauce Butter Coffee

Bread Pumpkin pie with whipped cream.

Tickets, 50 cents.

## CHICAGO'S LICENSE LESS

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Prediction that Chicago will lose \$350,000 in revenue this year from a falling off in saloon licenses, was made today by the city collector who begins license collections next Thursday for the current half year. The council licensing committee is considering licensing other businesses to make up the predicted deficit.



**California**  
resort hotels  
are world famed

They are prepared for a big rush of winter travel.

And the Santa Fe is prepared to take you there.

Visit Grand Canyon and Castle Hot Springs in Arizona.

Hawaii afterwards.

Fred Harvey meals.

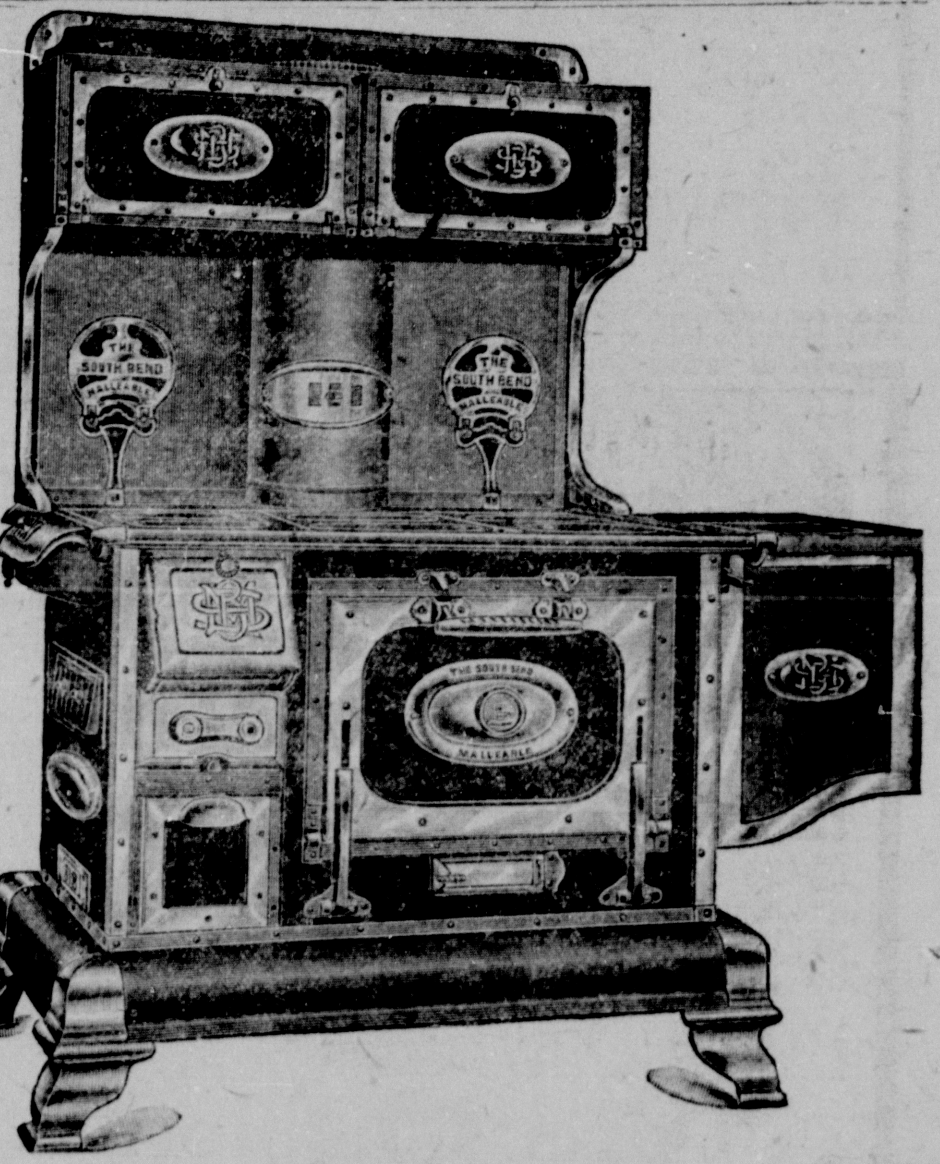
Any line to Kansas City.

Booklets of trains and trip upon request.

Geo. C. Chambers, C. A., 209 N. 7th St., St. Louis, Mo.

as usual

four daily California trains including the California Limited also the Santa Fe de Luxe weekly in winter



## Twelve Points of Advantage in the Malleable Range

### Please Make Comparison

- 1 Key Stone Copper Bearing Aluminum fused metal in all flues. The greatest protection against rust and corrosion known.
- 2 Oven plates are riveted to malleable angle irons, making it air tight.
- 3 Copper packet in reservoir. Heated by contact. Flames do not come in contact with reservoir. No damper to interfere with heating oven.
- 4 Both oven and reservoir can be heated at the same time.
- 5 15 gallon copper contact reservoir.
- 6 17 inch space between top of range and bottom of high closet.
- 7 Closet door drops and forms a shelf instead of roll back.
- 8 Triple wall; outside wall 16 gauge—Wellsville copper bearing steel inside.
- 9 Inside wall 17 gauge aluminum fused steel. Between the two walls is ¼-in. asbestos mill board.
- 10 All asbestos mill board is covered with Wellsville steel outside and aluminum fused steel on inside.
- 11 Ash pit door is 3 ply; a protection against hot coals being dropped in ash pan.
- 12 Direct cold air circulation protects every section of fire box lining, insuring long life of fire box.

LET US DEMONSTRATE TO YOU  
10% DISCOUNT ON ALL STOVES AND RANGES  
FOR CASH

**Graham Hardware Co.**

## Use of Barley Saves Wheat!

Barley has always been used in making the famous food

## Grape-Nuts

There's a Reason—Barley is richer in protein... (meat value) than wheat.

Barley has an element that changes its own starch and wheat starch into sugar.

Barley has a rich individual flavor — you've heard of barley-sugar?

If you haven't tried this world-famed food, now is the time.

Eat Grape-Nuts—Help Save Wheat

## SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK

- 3 10c packages Macaroni or Spaghetti . . . 25c
- Good Santos Coffee, per pound . . . 18c
- Pure Breakfast Cocoa, per pound . . . 20c
- Large 30c jar Olives, Apple Butter, Sweet Relish, Peanut Butter, Peach Butter
- 25c Per Jar This Week
- Get our prices on Soap, Flour or anything in case or dozen lots.

## Zell's Grocery

East State Street Both Phones

## "We Sell No Cars But Repair All"

Best grade of OIL and GASOLINE -- Skilled Mechanics always at your service -- Charges always equitable -- Service cars for hire.

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## RELIEF IS COMPLETE, MRS. EDWARDS SAYS

Because Tanlac completely rid her of many troubles, Mrs. Florence Edwards, wife of a traveling salesman for the Jacksonville Packing Co., and well known local woman of 315 North Mauvaisterre street, made the following interesting statement regarding the new medicine.

"Stomach trouble which induced nervousness had bothered me for several months. I had no appetite and nothing I ate ever tasted good. My stomach was in a terrible condition. I couldn't sleep at night, either."

petite now and everything I eat agrees with me and I relish it, too. I sleep soundly at night also. Tanlac has completely relieved me of a good deal of suffering and I'm glad to recommend it."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is especially beneficial for stomach, liver and kidney trouble, catarrhal complaints, nervousness, sleeplessness, loss of appetite and the like.

Tanlac is now being introduced and explained in Jacksonville at Coover & Shreve's drug stores. It also may be obtained in the following nearby towns: Waverly, Wyle Drug Co.; New Berlin, New Berlin Drug Co.; Ashland, H. O. Brownback; Versailles, A. G. Bates; Chapin, F. P. McKinney.—Adv.



NEW POSTAL RATES  
EFFECTIVE THURSDAY

Postmaster Dunlap Receives Instructions from Postoffice Department Relative to New Rates—Postal Cards Will Require Two Cent Stamp.

Postmaster Ralph I. Dunlap has received notice from the postoffice department of the change in postage rates which becomes effective Nov. 2. The department sends the following information which is published for the benefit of the public.

The rate of postage on letters and other first class matter (except postal and post cards, and drop letters) will be 3 cents per ounce or fraction thereof. If less than 3 cents is paid it will be returned to the sender if known, otherwise it will be forwarded collect.

The rate on drop letters, that is, letters mailed in Jacksonville for delivery in the city or on the rural routes will remain as at present, 2 cents per ounce or fraction of an ounce.

All Government Postal cards must be prepaid 2 cents whether they bear a written or printed message. Therefore the one cent card now in use will require a 1 cent stamp additional.

"Post Cards" or "Private Mailing Cards" which bear written messages will be subject to the 2 cent rate.

Printed Post Cards or Private mailing cards which do not bear any unauthorized addition will be rated as printed matter and subject to the third class rate of postage which is 1 cent each, or 1 cent for each 2

ounces or fraction thereof. Such cards cannot be forwarded without a new payment of postage.

Failure to comply with the above will cause unnecessary delay, confusion and annoyance, and will entail a vast amount of useless work on the part of Postal employees.

A limited number of fine OVERCOATS at most reasonable prices are offered by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

## EAST UNION

Harry Gilmore and family spent Sunday with W. M. Cockerel and family.

John Davis and daughter, Mrs. Etta Hawkins spent Sunday with Hugh Barber and family.

Misses Dorothea and Thelma Martin visited with their grandparents, Henry Martin and wife.

James Jones and wife of Coal Hollow spent Sunday with Calvin Simmons and family.

Mrs. Calvin Simmons and daughter Margaret spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Verne Cooley and Mabel Daniel.

Mrs. George Jones and daughter Amy spent Wednesday with Mrs. Henry Israel and family.

Misses Iona Hawkins and Wilma Edwards spent Sunday with Amy Jones.

Thomas Cooley, wife and daughter Nena spent Sunday afternoon with Verne Cooley and wife.

Miss Elizabeth Israel spent Wednesday night with Wilma Edwards.

Roscoe Hawkins and Chas. Garner left last week for Olen, Ill., to work thru corn shucking.

WILL DEDICATE NEW  
SCHOOL BUILDING

Exercises Will Be Held Friday Evening—Will Observe "Go to Sunday School Day" Next Sunday—Other Live News from Western Part of County.

Meredosia, Oct. 30. — The new school building will be dedicated Friday with appropriate exercises. Speakers have been secured and a splendid musical program is being prepared.

George Hodges of Decatur spent Sunday here with his father, Levi Hodges and family.

Milton Moon of New Berlin was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rausch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cody, son Willard and daughter Frances, of Jacksonville were entertained at the home of Mrs. Mary Cody last Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Kinnett left Saturday for Jacksonville to assist in caring for her mother, Mrs. N. C. Stringam, who fell and broke her hip and wrist.

James Galaway visited relatives in Sheldon from Saturday until Tuesday.

Next Sunday will be observed as "Go to Sunday School Day" at the Methodist church. A program is being prepared by the committee in charge.

r. and Mrs. J. S. Peckham of Jacksonville were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Arnett.

Madeline Schmidt of Mt. Sterling spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schmidt.

A sliding board and merry-go-round have been added to the playgrounds of the new school building and are affording abundant pleasures for the youngsters.

Ed Dennis of Chambersburg spent Sunday in this place.

Charles Clark of Arenzville was a Sunday caller here.

Mrs. Ella Bruner of Chapin visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kratz motored to Jacksonville Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Dunn and daughter Dorothy of Springfield visited Sunday with Mrs. Anne Knowlen.

Wilbur Rawson returned Sunday to his home in Waverly after several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Arnett.

At the regular meeting of the town board on last Thursday evening, C. C. Geiss, who has charge of the pool room was refused the renewal of the license to continue by a vote of the officials.

Edward Roegge, a prosperous farmer living east of here, and Miss Alma Weisheit of Clayton were married last week and returned home Friday and will begin housekeeping on the groom's farm. They were given the usual charivari Friday evening.

Richard Beauchamp is reported on the sick list.

Joe Hoffman has returned home after spending the summer at Muscatine, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kratz were Bluffs and Oxville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Adam Leonhard spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Steamer at Springfield.

A reception was given the freshmen by the high school in the auditorium of the new school building on last Thursday evening. Kenneth Looman gave the addresses of welcome.

Ina Mayes gave a reading. A piano solo was given by Bernice Skinner. Eva Henderson then gave a reading. A vocal solo was given by Rena Hyde. Merle Hodges read the contents of the High School Budget.

Refreshments were served during the evening. Prof. W. W. Jarman in behalf of the students of the high school presented Miss Wreneth Chenoweth with a beautiful chafing dish for services rendered in the play of last term.

Miss Jennie Dunbar of Cooperstown spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Hyatt.

Miss Edith Brockhouse was a Jacksonville visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Nancy Yeck and daughter Katie went to Jacksonville Saturday and the latter entered Passavant hospital for an operation.

Charles Keil and daughter Flora were among those who visited Jacksonville Saturday.

Rev. D. C. Jeffers returned Saturday from a week's visit in Missouri.

Miss Anna Easley was called to Barry Friday to attend the funeral of her friends, Mrs. E. J. Fredmore.

L. H. Wegeholt, George Hyde, B. C. Heffner and Emil Brockhouse motored to Beardstown Saturday evening to attend Masonic lodge.

Charles Howard of Waverly was a visitor here Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Hall was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

George Mayes was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY  
AT MANCHESTER

Seniors of High School Spent Pleasant Evening at Home of Miss Hazel Duncan—Other News of Manchester Neighborhood.

Manchester, Ill. Oct. 29. — The seniors of the High school with their invited guests, enjoyed a Halloween party at the home of Miss Hazel Duncan Friday evening.

Games and music were enjoyed and "fortune telling" was an interesting feature of the evening. Refreshments were served consisting of sandwiches, pumpkin pie and cider. All present enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

George Smith, for many years a resident of Manchester, passed away at the Soldiers Home in Quincy, Wednesday. Funeral services were conducted here Friday afternoon from the Baptist church.

Rev. William Johnson of Winchester officiating. Interment was made in Bethel cemetery. Mr. Smith was 69 years of age. He leaves a son, Homer Smith of Rockhouse and a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Patterson of Hillview.

Mrs. John Gilkey of Newman is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. F. Fahrnkopf.

Miss Mary Cooper has returned to Des Plaines after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper.

Mrs. J. H. Langdon visited in White Hall Friday with her daughter, Mrs. F. N. Collins and family.

Guy Brown spent Friday in Jacksonville.

Mrs. F. L. Dandy spent Thursday with relatives in Murrayville.

BLUFFS HIGH SCHOOL  
PUPILS BUY BOND

Part of Proceeds of Box Social Used for Purchase of Liberty Bond—M. E. Church Ladies Hold Annual Bazaar—Other Bluffs News.

Bluffs, Oct. 29.—The pupils of the high school realized \$47 net proceeds from the box social Saturday night, \$12.50 of which was used towards the purchase of the Liberty bond which was purchased by the pupils of the school Friday. Several individual pupils have also purchased bonds among those were Vern Black and Bennie Rockwood.

The Ladies of the M. E. church held their annual bazaar at Lewis' hall Thursday. Despite the rainy night and bad roads the net proceeds were \$40.

Saturday was observed as "tag day" to raise money to buy materials to make kits for the soldiers.

The Household Science Club held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Arundel Saturday afternoon for the purpose of making further arrangements for the Farmers' Institute and also to arrange for a children's exhibit of work done in the school of Bluffs.

Mrs. George Hierman has been called to Colchester by the illness of her brother.

Mrs. Hunt Sargent and Mrs. Anna Arundel attended the Farmers' Institute in Chapin Wednesday.

The teachers institute will be held at the high school building here Friday and Saturday Nov. 1st and 2nd.

Mrs. Lafayette Six entertained the pupils of her Sunday school class at her home Saturday afternoon.

## —DURBIN—

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spires have ended a visit with relatives here and returned to their home at Blackwell, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Seymour motored to Louisville, Ky., last week.

The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ida Rawlings.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Oxley visited his sister, Mrs. Bell, at Joy Prairie Sunday.

Mrs. Sylvanus Scott is slightly improved but still unable to be up.

Chas. Jefferson of Palmyra, Mo., came last week and took his mother's stock and household goods to his home where Mrs. Jefferson is soon to go.

## NOTICE!

Just received a shipment of  
one hundred-fifty  
OVERCOATS

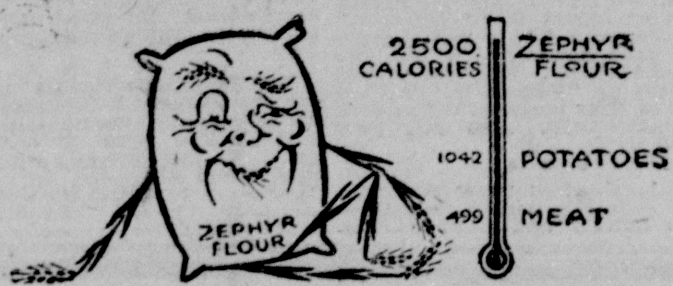
that should have been here two months ago.

These overcoats represent some wonderful values and if you have't purchased your winter coat now is your chance.

Come in and look them over now



Lukeman Brothers  
The home of  
Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes



The human body must have 2500 calories of fuel daily. No other food furnishes this as cheaply as ZEPHYR FLOUR. Note its low cost compared with other staple foods.

		Cost of 2500 Calories
Meat	25c	.60
Eggs	30c	.67
Cheese	25c	.39
Potatoes	\$2	.29
Beans	16c	.28
Zephyr Flour	if \$5	.15

Spread with butter ZEPHYR bread is the greatest muscle building, energy producing food you can eat—and the cheapest. Use more ZEPHYR FLOUR. It lowers bills.

## All Jacksonville Dealers

Ashland—Gist & Hawkins Murrayville—A. H. Kennedy  
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Bluffs—John Pine Woodson—Fitzsimmons &  
Concord—Omken, Meyer & Son  
Cratz  
Chapin—J. H. Eilers Pisgah—J. W. Bell  
Franklin—Geo. Schaaf Prentice—J. H. Hubbs  
Literberry—G. T. Litter Virginia—Bailey & Co.  
Meredosia—Meredosia Grain Waverly—Hairgrove & Harrison

Are You Interested In Saving  
Five Cents Out of  
Every Dollar You Spend

Even if our prices were the same as others we give you a discount. We give you S. & H. Green Stamps on every cash purchase.

Figure what five per cent of your money spent last year would be; and you could have bought nearly all of stores giving S. & H. Stamps.

Our prices are lower in the beginning. We sell you a Mattress at \$6.95 that other stores ask you \$8.50 for—compare them.

We sell you a bed spring for less money than even Chicago mail order houses and you get the S. & H. Stamps besides.

We offer you many articles of standard house furnishings at prices that are one-fifth less than you pay elsewhere—and the S. & H. Stamps too.

Can you afford to overlook this store in your fall shopping?

Come in this week and make us prove it. Compare our goods and prices. We sell you goods at the price you like to pay.

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LINOLEUM Is a Sanitary Durable and Reasonably Priced Floor Covering



This week we will sell Linoleums from 45c per yd. up.



STEP LADDER CHAIR  
like cut at 79c

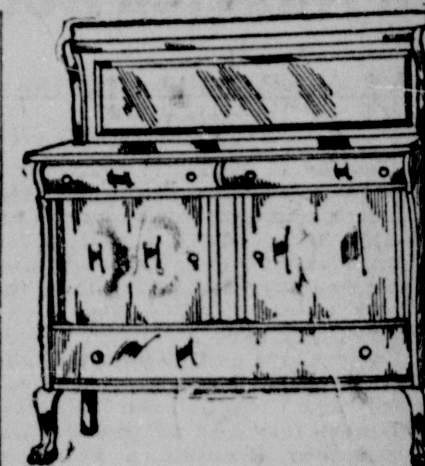
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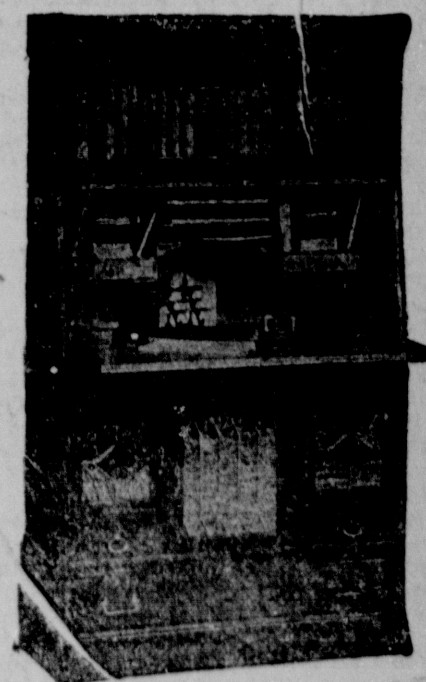
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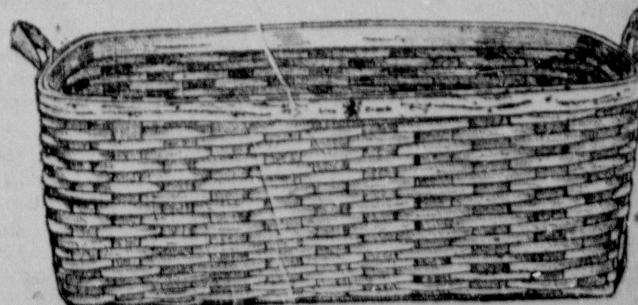
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show you their  
advantages.



A line of forty Buffets to select from \$16.50 up.



Just received a small shipment of these Baskets. While the last 29c



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### Neighbor Told Her Cure for Lumbago

Rheumatism and lumbago are awful things and cause great pain and misery, but Foley Kidney Pills can root them.

Mrs. G. H. Eveland, Duncan Mills, Ill., writes the following letter: "I was stricken down with lumbago and was unable to get on my feet. A neighbor brought me a half bottle of Foley Kidney Pills, and said she had been similarly afflicted and that they had helped her. So I tried them and was completely relieved by the use of two or three bottles. I have had splendid success with them and have never known them to fail. I most heartily recommend Foley Kidney Pills."

Foley Kidney Pills tone up weak, inactive, sluggish kidneys, rid the body of poisons, give appetite, energy and refreshing sleep after pain. Don't neglect kidney trouble. Remove the cause with Foley Kidney Pills.

City Drug Store,  
I. A. Obermeyer

### OUR NEIGHBORS IN ILLINOIS

#### Tell About a New Discovery.

Many local people are glad to testify to the good results obtained from Anuric, the discovery of Doctor Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for kidney and bladder disorders. Anuric is a natural and all-uric acid troubles. This is what Mr. Walter Carlson of 1160 Sedgwick Street, Chicago, Ill., says:

"I suffered for four years with pain in my back. I tried everything there was out. I failed to help me. I even went to a doctor and he could not cure my backache. A friend of mine advised me to try a box of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets, and so I did; I used two boxes and the pains were gone. I am now telling any lie—the pain in my back was something terrible. As soon as I would bend over to get something from the floor I thought my whole back would burst. I would advise sufferers to try Anuric and they will find results; they need not take my word for it."

Hundreds of others in Illinois have been benefited or cured. Ask the druggist. When the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body. There follow depression, aches and pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some cases there are sharp pains in the back and loins, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes forms into gravel or kidney stones. When the uric acid affects the tissues, muscles and joints, it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica. This is the time to try Anuric, which gives the kidneys the strength of Doctor Pierce, for kidney trouble and pains in back and all over body? Send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a package to prove to you that Anuric is many times more potent than lithia and eliminates the uric acid from the system as hot water melts sugar.

## Why I Believe in Nuxated Iron

#### A Strength-Builder for the Nation

By E. Sauer, M. D.  
Probably no remedy has ever met with such phenomenal success as has Nuxated Iron. It is conservatively estimated that over three million people annually are taking it in this country alone. It has been highly endorsed and used by former United States senators and members of congress; physicians who have been connected with well-known hospitals have prescribed and recommended it; Monseigneur Nannini, a prominent Catholic clergyman, recommends it to all members of the Catholic church. Former Health Commissioner of Wm. B. Kerr, of Chicago, says it ought to be used in every hospital and prescribed by every physician. Sarah Bernhardt—"the Divine Sarah," the world's most noted actress, has ordered a large quantity sent to the French soldiers to help give them strength, power and endurance. Dr. A. J. Newman, late police surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former house surgeon Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, says Nuxated Iron has proven through his own tests of it to excel any preparation he has ever used for creating red blood, building up the nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders.

Dr. N. H. Hornstine for ten years physician in the department of public health and charities of Philadelphia says that tests made with Nuxated Iron on a number of stubborn cases where other tonics had failed absolutely convinced him of its remarkable and unusual power.

If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron, which has been used by former Members of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, and other prominent people with such surprising results, and which is prescribed and recommended above by physicians in such a great variety of cases, is not a patent medicine nor secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents are widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not irritate the stomach, does not blacken the teeth, does not make the tongue black nor upset the stomach; on the contrary it is a most potent remedy in nearly all forms of indigestion as well as for nervous run-down conditions. The manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron, that they offer to forfeit \$100 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increase their strength 100 per cent. or over in four weeks time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. They also offer to refund your money if it does not at least double your strength and endurance in ten days' time. It is dispensed by Ludy-Davis Drug Co., Armstrong and Armstrong, Gilbert's Pharmacy, J. A. Obermeyer and Son and all good druggists.

### BOX SOCIAL FOR LITERBERRY RED CROSS

Sum of \$93 Realized from Effort—  
Carl Myers Meets With Auto Accident—Other Interesting Literberry News Notes.

Literberry, Oct. 30.—The sum of \$93 was realized from the box supper given by the Red Cross finance committee. Wm. Crum and Bert Olroyd sold the boxes. A double box by Miss Ruth Miller and Miss Olive Hitchens brought \$8.00 and some others \$5.00 a piece.

Miss Georgia Litter and Mrs. Abe Litter are visiting in Kansas City, Mo.

Willard Young and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Rochester attended the carnival in Jacksonville Friday evening. Quite a number from here attended the sale of Wm. Nunes, deceased, Thursday.

Mrs. McFarland and daughter, Mary, visited her brother at Passavant hospital Saturday.

Douglas Stockton has moved his family from the residence in the north part of town to a farm east of here.

Miss Lora Petefish has returned home after visiting her sister Mrs. Lewis near Prentissville a week. Mr. Harry Martin and son, Sinclair, spent Saturday afternoon here with her parents, and doing clerical work in the store.

Class 4 of the Christian church will give a hallowe'en social in the parlors of the church Wednesday evening. Everybody invited.

Carl Myers met with what might have been a fatal accident Wednesday afternoon when he in his Ford car met another car and turned into a ditch turning over a time or two. Ben Willis and Carl Cooper were in the car with him but outside of damage to the car some, they came out without any bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Litter of Jacksonville entertained at dinner Sunday from this place, Mr. and Mrs. W. Young and family, Al Dunlap and family and Harry Martin and family.

John Daniels and family, Chas. McDonald and family, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis of Prentice.

Revival meetings will start at the Christian church Tuesday evening, conducted by Rev. Hill of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reinbach of Springfield visited with the latter's mother, Mrs. Pierce Sunday.

John Campbell and wife and Durrell Crum and wife went to the Hickory Flats Sunday to gather nuts.

The ladies of the Red Cross are busy sewing. They have taken three afternoon a week for work, making garments.

#### HALLOWE'EN OBSERVANCE

Arrangements have been made for a number of extra policemen in various parts of the city for this, Halloween night. Those bent on innocent fun will not be molested but anyone caught destroying property or creating disturbance will be arrested and prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GEORGE P. DAVIS,  
Chief of Police.

#### OBITUARY.

After a brief illness of four days' duration, Lyman Scott Shrewsbury, peacefully passed away at Springfield Tuesday, October 23, at 4 o'clock. He was born two miles south of Arenzville in 1840. His wife preceded him in death at California some years ago and the body was cremated. The deceased was post master for many years prior to wife's death in 1908. He was a native of California, always being in trail health with asthma. He sojourned in the western states in former years resulting beneficial to him, but during intervening years his condition gradually grew worse the end came suddenly altho the day previous it was apparent that his life could not be prolonged during these years of suffering he displayed a spirit of bravery and hope.

The remains were conveyed from Chapin station by auto hearse, then were taken to the M. P. church at Concord. Rev. Mr. Fairchild officiating. A look for his text the 14 chapter of Job the 14 verse, which was a splendid discourse on the life of the deceased. The combined choirs of the Methodist and Christian churches rendered music for the services. Other music was by Mrs. L. Bayless, Mrs. G. Lewis, Perry Leonard and Earl Sanders, Miss Bernice Murphy, pianist. The music and singing has beautiful.

The casket was covered with lovely flowers and were placed on the grave by Misses Gale Nickel and Blanch Yeck. Members of his family include one sister, three brothers. The bearers were J. J. Ratliff, W. Long, H. Lippert, G. Brunck, Elie and W. L. McCarty a long time and intimate friends of the deceased. The remains were reverently borne to their last resting place and tenderly laid away with suitable service and were taken to the Cemetery by auto.

Those who attended the funeral from a distance were:  
Louis Shrewsbury, John D. McFarlin, Springfield, Mrs. Irvella Lohr and son, Albert, Tower Hill, G. W. Shrewsbury and grandson, Gerald Shrewsbury, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. B. Shrewsbury, Mrs. Clara Long and son Elvin, Elie McCarty, W. L. McCarty and Harry Anderson.

#### NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

Examination for teachers' certificates will be held in the office of the county superintendent, Thursday and Friday, November 8th and 9th. All persons expecting to take the examination are required to file application blanks. Saturday, Nov. 9th will be the day for filing, and filing blanks. For further information call on or write H. H. Vasconcellos, county superintendent of schools.

#### SIGMA PI HELD SMOKER

Members of Sigma Pi society held an informal smoker in their hall Monday evening which was greatly enjoyed by a large number of members.

### SHILOH

Mrs. Judah Thompson of Virginia passed away Sunday, morning after an illness of several months' duration. Funeral services were held at that place Monday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson was a sister of Henry and Richard Black and Miss Belle Black.

Mrs. Will Dodsworth was a visitor in Jacksonville last Thursday. Quite a number from this place attended the Wm. Nunes sale in Jacksonville Thursday.

Shoppers in Jacksonville Saturday from this vicinity were Mr. and Mrs. John Boune and children, Will Dodsworth, Harry McGhee, Frank Dodsworth, Erven, Patterson and Alvin Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lindsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lindsey of Lynnvill and Mr. and Mrs. Ward of Sinclair were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linsley.

Uncle John Black remains in about the same condition.

Miss Jennie Black of Los Angeles, California, is expected home soon for a visit with relatives and friends here.

### —SHILOH—

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Petefish and sons Russell and Charles of Springfield motored in their Dodge car to dine with Mr. Petefish's, brother Elie Petefish, Sunday.

Quite a few in our vicinity have commenced husking corn. Among them are John Burneizer, George Petefish. Both report a fine yield. Mr. Petefish' farm shucked corn average about six bushels to the shock.

A number from her attended box supper at Literberry.

Roy L. Black visited the Petefish boys of Springfield Sunday afternoon at the home of Elie Petefish.

John Burmeister, John and Roy Black, George Mason, George Petefish and daughter's, Miss Edith and Beulah, all motored to Jacksonville Saturday.

Grandpa Black's condition remains about the same confined to his bed at the home of his son James Black.

Leo Bourn is husking corn for John Burmeister.

Arch Bridgman and family were Jacksonville shoppers Saturday.

Ellis Petefish and family motored to Literberry Sunday night to the home of A. W. Petefish. Owing to a severe rainstorm, they dodged home Monday at 7:10 thru rain, snow, the Dodge car never hesitated.

Misses Edith and Beulah Petefish attended Endeavor and church at Literberry Sunday night.

Sunday school at Shiloh at 9:30, preaching at 3 o'clock next Sunday. Everybody welcome.

Oakland school was visited by a photographer last week, who took a number of choice residences in our vicinity, the pictures are to be used in a farm paper.

#### FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. E. Tomlin will be held from the residence, 904 South Main street, today at 1 o'clock. Rev. J. F. Langton, Rector of Trinity church will officiate. Mrs. Frances Hartmann will sing.

#### WILL ATTEND WEDDING.

Miss Stella Flynn of Franklin was in the city yesterday enroute to Mt. Sterling, Ill., where she will attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Regina Fitzsimmons.

### RHEUMATISM IS PAIN ONLY, RUB IT AWAY

Instant Relief from Pain, Soreness, Stiffness Following Rubbing with "St. Jacobs Oil"

Stop "dosing" rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain and distress. "St. Jacobs Oil" conquers pain! It is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia and reduces swelling. Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches, and stiffness. Don't suffer. Rub rheumatism away.—Adv.

### A CHILD'S TONGUE SHOWS IF LIVER OR BOWELS ARE ACTIVE

If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Give Fruit Laxative at Once.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue. Mother! If coated with a teaspoonful of this harmless "Fruit Laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, stomach ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

### ASHLAND TEACHERS ATTEND CONVENTION

All Public School Teachers and Superintendent at Annual Meeting in Beardstown—Pleasant Gathering at Newell Home—Other Ashland Items.

Ashland, Oct. 30.—Miss Trudie Blank has accepted the position of bookkeeper at the Farmers State Bank, taking the place of Raymond Mau, who was called to service in the U. S. Army.

Sunt. C. H. Dixon and all teachers of our public schools went to Beardstown last Thursday and Friday to attend the eighteenth annual meeting of the Cass County Teachers' Association. C. H. Dixon is president of the association.

Mrs. Martha Brown and Mrs. Lula Moore were shopping in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Hewitt is visiting in Jacksonville this week.

Elmore Gailey who is attending school at Champaign spent the week end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Gailey.

Miss Rose Keller spent the week end in St. Louis.

Miss Rhoda Latham is making a several weeks visit with Miss Elsie Mallick at Beardstown.

Louis Dirksen of the firm of A. Dirksen & Sons of Springfield was in our city last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watret, son Lee and daughter Grace, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Koontz. Mrs. D. S. Gailey was a Springfield visitor Saturday.

John Purvines of Pleasant Plains was a visitor here today.

Miss Wilma Emerick of Beardstown spent Sunday with the J. D. Turner household.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bailey and daughter Lorena spent the week end in Virginia with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Climer.

Mrs. Andrew Wyatt and daughter Jessie Eulens spent the week end in Virginia.

George Wittlinger was the only one of the seven delegates selected by the local Anti-Horse Thief Association to attend the state convention of this order held at Decatur last week.

Prof. Diddcott, assistant high school visitor of University of Illinois, was here one day last week on an official visit to our high school and conferring with the new board of education of the Community High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Taylor and daughters Blanche and Alice and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fox of near Chanderville, sister Miles Kendall and family Sunday.

C. W. Bailey left Monday for Jerseyville where he will stay for several weeks and do carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jordan who are visiting here from Missouri spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bailey.

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Franklin Christian Church Will Substitute Midweek Preaching Service in Place of Prayer Service—Conclusion Reached by Pastor, Rev. James Todd, Jr., after Thoughtful Consideration.

The Church of Christ at Franklin no longer observes the long customary mid-week prayer meeting. A mid-week preaching service takes its place. The minister, Rev. James Todd, Jr., who is a pastor-evangelist, after giving much thoughtful consideration to the problems of the church has reached the conclusion that the prayer meeting service of the church is failing to reach men and women, leaving them with but one day out of seven for religious instruction which is not sufficient to maintain that deep spirituality necessary to the Christian life and the work of the church.

At these mid-week preaching services he is preaching a series of sermons on "What Christianity Really Means to Us." His subject Wednesday evening will be "Children of God."

MRS. "S. O. S."—You'll have very few wrinkles left after a few days' use of the following mixture, which you make yourself at home in a few minutes. To two ounces of opol, which cost about fifty cents at any drug store, add two tablespoonfuls of glycerine, and mix in half a pint of water. Your skin will become fresh and plump and your friends will be remarking, not how old, but how young you look. Rub the cream well into the skin and you will soon find that the crow's feet, deep lines of age and even "habit" wrinkles will be quickly leaving. It is really surprising.

SHINEY—I do not know of any face powder that hasn't that "chalkiness" in some degree. That's why I have my own face powder. It's just like velvet and invisible. It is now sold at drug stores as "Valeksa Sun-Kissed Face Powder" at fifty cents, in white, flesh and brunette tints. Also ask your friends to try it.

MISS A. R.—You never saw anything in your life remove superfluous hairs as quickly and easily as this.

NO INDIGESTION, GAS, OR STOMACH MISERY IN FIVE MINUTES  
"Pape's Diapepsin" for Sour, Acid Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia

Time it. In five minutes your sour, acid stomach feels fine. No indigestion, heartburn, or belching of gas, or eruptions of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in sweetening upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain stomach antacid in the whole world, and besides, it is harmless. Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from much misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent can of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and enjoy it, without dread of acid fermentation in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement due to fermentation and acidity, at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.—Adv.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was overworked, run-down, nervous, could not eat or sleep. I felt like crying all the time. I tried different remedies without benefit. The doctor said it was a wonder I was alive, and when Vinol was given me I began to improve. I have taken eight bottles and am now strong and perfectly healthy in every respect, and have gained in weight. I can not praise Vinol enough." Mrs. Sarah A. Jones, 1925 Nevada, St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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"A Remarkable Secret Every Woman Should Know," Says Valeska Sun-Kissed Face Powder.

BY VALESKA SURATT

HOW refreshing it is to know that it is now no longer necessary to wait for many months and perhaps years to produce a beautiful complexion, and that you can have it as surely as the sun rises, in a few days' time. If you are one who finds this hard to believe you have but to try the simple formula given below, and you will be able to prove the fact yourself very quickly. Ask your druggist for a one-ounce package of zintone. At home mix the contents of the package with two tablespoonfuls of glycerine in a pint of water. Use the cream lavishly and every day and you will get results without fail.

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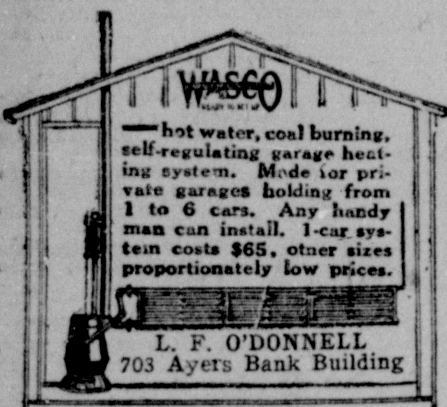
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## SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS GAVE PLEASANT SOCIAL

Kings Daughters and Sons of Concord Christian Church Gave Social—Old Citizen of Village Passes Away—Other News Notes.

Concord, Oct. 30.—The Kings Daughters and Sons class of the Christian Sunday School, gave a social at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bayless near Hopewell on Wednesday night in honor of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Bayless. About 30 were present, and the evening was pleasantly spent, and refreshments served by the class.

Mrs. Cox, of Jacksonville, and daughters, Mrs. Henry Irvin of Kan., Mrs. Chas. Baker and family of Scott Co., Mrs. Henry Nortrup and family of Concord, surprised Mrs. Sam Brockhouse on Sunday, and spent the day there in honor of Mrs. Brockhouse's birthday, which event was on the 24th.

Mrs. Kate H. mother of O. T. Hamm, returned to her home in Carlisle, Kentucky recently.

Miss Dorothy Olliver, teacher at Pleasant View, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Winchester.

The public sale at John C. Eske's was fairly well attended and good prices were realized for everything. C. H. Taylor, was auctioneer and J. P. Burnham, clerk.

Mrs. Edgar Cooper and little son came down Monday evening from Jacksonville, and will be here a few days with relatives.

The second annual Donation Sale of the Christian church will take place Wednesday afternoon near the depot. The Ladies Aid will serve dinner and supper at popular prices.

The farm residence occupied by Bert Way has been improved very much by a new porch.

Luther Brockhouse has been pretty busy sawing wood with his circular saw.

Minister C. G. Cantrell and wife returned to Berea, and Alexander on Thursday, returning in the evening.

Sunday night's rain was good for the wheat, but "oh ye roads". The rural carriers lock up their cars, and harness the faithful horse once more.

Mrs. August Brockhouse was on the sick list a few days with something like gripe but is up and around again.

The thermometer registered 20 above this (Tuesday) morning.

Franklin Deitrick died on October 26th at his home in Abingdon, aged 85 years.

Mr. Deitrick was born in the state of Pennsylvania, and came to Concord in 1865. In 1875 he moved with his family to Virginia, Illinois, and later to Abingdon. He and his wife united with the Concord Christian church in March, 1875, during a revival meeting held by D. R. Lucas. He was a brother of the late Daniel Deitrick, who was well known to many in this county, and was and uncle of James, George and Miss Carrie Deitrick, of Concord. He is survived by one son, William, and one daughter Miss Carrie Deitrick.

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## OLD RESIDENT DIES AT HOME IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. Judy Black Thomson, Pioneer Resident, was Born Near Jacksonville—Cass County is Observing Food Conservation Week—Rebekah Lodge Holds Initiation Ceremonies—Other News Notes from Cass County.

Virginia, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Judy Black Thomson died at the family home in Grand Villa Saturday evening, Oct. 27, 1917, at the age of 71 years and 10 months. Deceased had been an invalid for a number of years, due to complications.

Mrs. Thomson was born near Jacksonville and was united in marriage in early girlhood to Thomas Kilham who preceded her in death many years ago. To this union was born six children, namely: Will, Walter and Laurence, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Arthur of Oregon, Mo.; Joe of Virginia, and Mrs. Jephtha Armstrong of Chandlerville.

About 25 years ago she was married to Charles Thomson of this city and a son and daughter was born to this union: Mrs. James Holst-law of Warsaw, Ill., and Della at home, who with the husband survive. Also three sisters, Miss Maggie Black of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Lou Friday, and Miss Belle Black of Jacksonville; and five brothers, John George, Richard, James and Henry Black, all residing in Morgan county.

Funeral services will be held at the family home conducted by Rev. C. F. Juvinall, pastor of the M. E. church. Burial in Walnut Ridge cemetery.

News Notes

John Rumble left last evening on a business trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. Russell Knight is a capital visitor today.

John Beckum who is employed in Springfield was the guest of home folks Sunday.

Miss Rose Nester who has been a patient at the Springfield hospital for the past six weeks will return home today.

Miss Mabel Ross who is employed as bookkeeper at the Brand Sewing Machine company at Springfield spent Sunday at her home north of this city.

Food conservation will be started in earnest through Cass county this week. Judge Iles of Chicago representing H. A. Wheeler, state food administrator, will address a mass meeting in this city Tuesday evening.

Cass county food administration will beget of the state committee at a luncheon at the Mann hotel Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, following which a public meeting will be held to which all are invited.

Cass county is doing "her bit" by investing nearly one-half of a million dollars in Liberty Bonds the past week.

Messrs. Joe Hall and M. F. Way returned Saturday from Oklahoma where they had been looking at land.

L. B., the young son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Thompson, is a patient at a Springfield hospital where he has been operated on for relief from a mastoid abscess.

Miss Leora Ater formerly of this city but now residing in Denver, is in this city on a business mission. Saturday afternoon she conducted a sale of household goods at the Ater home and will return to Denver this week.

Miss Pauline Fisher has resigned her position as bookkeeper at the store of McIntire & Breeden. The position has been filled by Miss Mabel Turner who recently resigned as chief operator at the Cass County Telephone exchange.

Mrs. L. H. Skiles, Nellie Mills and Stella Alkire were Springfield visitors Friday.

The local basketball team met the Chapin high school team at Bluffs Friday evening, where the Virginia boys were victorious, the score being 28 to 14.

Mrs. Harry Davis is improving from an operation which she underwent at a Springfield hospital last week.

Allen Looker and Bob McKelvey accompanied a shipment of horses, cattle and hogs to St. Louis Saturday.

The local chapter of the Rebekah lodge held an initiation meeting in their hall Thursday evening at which time five new candidates were taken into that order, viz.: Ledra Higginew, Mrs. Fay Daring, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Davis, Mrs. Harry Rudisill.

A social hour was spent after the exercise. Music and refreshments lent to the enjoyment of the evening.

Mrs. Sophia Freeman completed a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Marcus Petefish and departed for her home in Los Angeles, Cal., today.

Mrs. Rufus Crampton and children of Louisville, Ky., arrived Saturday evening for a visit at the W. T. Price home.

William Krieg returned home from Camp Dodge Sunday after a visit with his son who is in training there. He reports the boys as looking fine and well satisfied.

What might have been a serious accident was narrowly averted Sunday morning when the large White auto belonging to James Maslin collided with the Jeffries car driven by Mrs. W. S. Goodell. Fortunately no one was seriously hurt. Mrs. Erna Maslin received some bruises and scratches about the head and face. The Goodell car and occupant were uninjured, while the Maslin car was considerably wrecked. The accident happened on a sharp turn in the road just entering the city and has always been considered a dangerous corner.

Brighton sleepers for children are sold by FRANK BYRNES' Hat Store.

BELEVILLE DEDICATES GREAT BOULEVARD

Belleville's million dollar concrete boulevard was formally opened for traffic Tuesday, with ceremonies which included addresses by representatives of the state governments of Illinois and Missouri. Representatives of the Illinois highway department were present. An automobile parade, escorted by aircraft from Scott field marked the dedication. The boulevard is said to be the longest stretch of concrete of any city in the United States.

Miss Catherine O'Meara spent Saturday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leach entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burrows and children of Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. Ames Cox of Barry, Ill.; and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Butler and daughter Twiler and Helen and Mrs. Butler's mother, Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Lou Obermeyer has been called to the city by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Verdie Thompson of Arcadia, who is ill at Our Savior's hospital.

## HOME TALENT PLAY AT BLUFFS FRIDAY

Six Times Nine" to Be Presented By Woman's Club Members for Miss Rockwood—Other Bluffs News Notes.

Bluffs, Oct. 30.—The members of the M. E. church and friends gathered at the home of Miss Helen Rockwood Saturday night to spend the evening and to wish her well in her school work which she will take up in Springfield this year. She had expected to go Friday, but later changed her plans. She had gone to the "movies" with a lady friend and upon her arrival home fifty of her friends had gathered there and gave her a surprise. The evening was spent in music and singing. A very pleasant evening was spent.

The ladies of the M. P. church will serve dinner and supper at the basement of the church Thursday so that the teachers who attend the institute here at that time may be accommodated.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bush have returned from N. Y., where they have been visiting for the past two weeks.

The Ladies of the Woman's Club will give a play entitled "Six Times Nine" at the Lewis Opera

House Friday night for the Red Cross benefit.

Mrs. Wm. Vannier and children left Monday for a visit with relatives in Springfield.

The following is the program complete for the home talent play Friday night entitled "Six Times Nine".

Music . . . . . Ethel McMurray

Princess Vard of Woolen Nolde, Countess Alexis, her aunt

Countess Yourmme, her cousin.

Freda, her maid . . . Margaret Finney

Mrs. Avery Hamilton

Mass. U. S. A. . . . . Mary Moore

Pupils in Miss Hap Good's Seminary

Winifred Lupton . . . Miss Dugget

Lucy Simpson . . . Ruth Millpatrick

Molly Andrews . . . Zoe Witzpatrick

Amelia Lee . . . . . Lota Bergner

Bella, Miss Hap Good's maid

Zeta Merriss

Lurine Raje, (peasant girl)

Dorothy Griswold

Rev. Mr. Rinehart was called to Naples Monday to preach the funeral of Miss Nellie Green who died of typhoid fever at her home Saturday.

Miss Rosa Tomhave left for a visit with relatives in Nebraska.

## Newbro's Herpicide Aids Nature and Keeps the Scalp Clean From Dandruff

Reasonable care and effort are all that are required to enable almost any woman to have good hair. When the hair falls out and is stringy, uneven, dry, brittle and generally unsightly, the condition is nearly always due to dandruff.

Before the hair will grow naturally and luxuriantly, the scale-like accumulation must be removed and the dandruff eradicated. That is what Newbro's Herpicide does. It is an aid to nature. Herpicide keeps the scalp clean, adds a softness and luster to the hair which indicates health. It not only prevents the hair from falling out but causes it to become one of woman's greatest charms.

Beautiful hair and lots of it may be the reward of every woman willing to devote a little personal effort to the use of the First and Original Germ-Remedy for Dandruff. Herpicide stops itching of the scalp. It has an exquisite odor.

You can obtain a trial size bottle and booklet telling all about the hair by sending ten cents in postage or silver to The Herpicide Co., Dept. S, Detroit, Mich.

Your dealer sells Herpicide in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00, and guarantees satisfactory results or money refunded. Insist upon having genuine Herpicide and not some "off brand" said to be "just as good" preparation. The substitute costs you just as much as the real article. Why take chances?

Herpicide applications obtained at the better barber shops and hair dressing parlors.

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## DR. HANLEY HEARD IN GREAT DISCOURSE

Evangelist's Theme Was "The Unpardonable Sin"—Difficult Question Handled in Practical and Impassive Way.

This is the closing week of the Hanley-Fisher revival services. Tuesday night an audience taxing the capacity of Grace church heard Dr. Hanley preach what he regards as his greatest sermon, on "The Unpardonable Sin." The services were of a very impressive character. Manifestations of applause or movements of persons in leaving the building were dismissed from the thought of the large congregation. In a masterful way Dr. Hanley centered the undivided attention of his hearers upon the message. Rev. E. L. Fletcher led in the reading of the 23rd Psalm and Dr. F. A. McCarty of Quincy, who is visiting the city, offered prayer. The chorus was at its very best and has never sung with better effect or more feeling than at this service. "How I Love Him," that song so famous in some of the great revivals in Wales, and "For You I Am Praying" were sung. Miss Esther Spoons very pleasingly sang as an obligato "From Every Stormy Wind that Blows," after which prayer was offered by Rev. E. B. Landis. The chorus were then called upon to sing "Where He Leads Me I Will Follow," after which Dr. Hanley made the announcements for the coming services.

Special mention was made of the services for next Sunday. In the afternoon the evangelist will speak to men and at this service he requested each man present to come and bring with him some unconverted friend. The subject of his address to men Sunday afternoon will be "Hell's Hinges." The revival will be brought to a close with the final service Sunday night.

**Many Ministers Present.**  
On the platform Tuesday were seated many of those ministers who have been attending the district meeting at Centenary church. Just before the service Mr. Fisher sang at the special request of Dr. Hanley the song entitled "Bearing His Cross." At the close of this solo, Dr. Hanley offered a most fervent prayer and again asked the choir to sing "Almost Persuaded." He then stated by way of introduction that he did not attempt to bring the message from any other text than that offered by the Master Himself. If some theologian had said it he might have questioned it, but as the Master never spoke with levity, never joked, never viewed things lightly, but takes everything in reality,

God in the person of our Master, said "Wherefore I say unto you, all man-forgiveness shall be forgiven unto men." Here the speaker paused and said "I would give everything I have in the world if I could stop there. But the statement of the Masters says further, 'and whosoever speaketh a word against the Son of Man, it shall be forgiven him, but whosoever speaketh against the Holy Spirit it shall not be forgiven him, neither in this world, neither in the world to come.' These words are found in Matthew 23:1-32."

"Whether there is a chance for us hereafter, as is taught by some, whether there is a wiping out as other people believe, these words of the Master stand, that there is one sin that shall never be forgiven here or hereafter, and the man or woman who commits that sin is without pardon."

"I have studied this question for years and it is my honest opinion that no man or woman in this room who thinks they have committed the unpardonable sin has done so. In the beginning God made man and woman, either directly or indirectly thru under the laws which he controls. Whether we come thru the long course of evolution or sprang into being fully formed from his finger tips, it is unnecessary for me to discuss. It is sufficient to say that we are the creation of God and like the movements of the sun, the moon and the stars and everything else in the physical world, we are using and having our lives in response to law. God deals with us thru his law and as we obey we are at peace. But disobedience brings punishment. First God created us like Himself, gave us the power of choice. The biggest thing in a human being is the will. I believe that Almighty God created me superior to angels here or in heaven for the Lord God of Hosts gave me the right of choice. That is what differentiates us from the beasts. While we have the right of choice two paths are set before us and here is the first law—that walking in one meant safety, and the walking in the other meant death. The Lord never uttered this statement as to man's physical condition. Disobedience to God's law was always intended to apply to the soul's condition. Jesus Christ never died to save my body, my intellect, but he died to save my soul."

**Pardon is Offered.**  
"You will agree that God is all-wise. If he does not know everything He is not infinite. The Lord could not be God and make mistakes. If He said we should die He knew what He was talking about. You ask how it is, if God is love and yet he will allow a human being in the world, knowing that we shall be eternally lost, how can the Lord be a God of Love and make men and then create a hell for man to go to? It is a mistake. Nowhere in the Bible does it say that the Lord made a hell for man. As I understand it, we are taught that one time the devil was an angel of light and rebelled against God. He was thrust into perdition and the Bible says in the words of Jesus 'Depart from me, ye accursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels.' Hell was made for the devil. No man need choose this company unless he is unfit for the company of God."

"You say it seems unreasonable that God causes a man's soul to be lost because he disobeys the law of choice. It is not a matter of what you think, it is an eternal principle laid down by the Master Himself. Religion is not an argument, it is a revelation to the heart of man. It comes to us and either leaves us in a brighter state or blacker than before. You ask what is necessary to be a Christian. Accept Jesus publicly, that is all. Do you belong to a church and yet never feel that you are His child? Have you committed a sin? Have you lived an immoral life? Have you any burdens that are keeping you from Christ? Step out for Christ and He will pardon you."

**LIBERTY LOAN BONDS**  
On Weekly Payments.  
The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company.  
M. C. A. NEWS NOTES.  
The Hi Y club meeting has been called off for tonight. Regular meeting and lesson next Wednesday night.  
The Cass county representatives of the Y. M. C. A. will meet Monday, November 5, at Virginia. President C. H. Rammekamp of Illinois college will address the meeting and assist in the organization.  
Markham precinct representatives will meet Thursday, Nov. 1, at 6:30 o'clock. Addresses will be given by Hon. John J. Reeve and Secretary J. S. Findley. The latter will assist in the organization.  
A meeting of representatives of Lynnville precinct will be held at Lynnville Friday evening, Nov. 2. Mayor H. J. Rodgers and Secretary Findley will be the speakers and will assist in organizing the branch.  
Waverly has arranged for a meeting Thursday evening, Nov. 1. Mayor Rodgers will make the address and assist in the organization of the branch.  
A noonday meeting will be held at the Illinois Steel Bridge company's plant today.

Miss Anna Ranson of Franklin was numbered among the out of town shoppers in Jacksonville.

**A TEXAS WONDER**  
The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

## FARM ADVISOR PLAN MOVES ALONG

Sidney Smith Government Representative Can Devote Most of Week to This County.

The work of securing members of a Morgan county crop improvement association is moving along steadily altho the bad weather Monday interfered somewhat with the plans of Sidney Smith, government representative who is here directing the work. Monday Mr. Smith was accompanied by C. S. Black in visiting territory northeast of Jacksonville, and Tuesday in the same territory his traveling companion was A. C. Rice. Thus far the number of cards actually signed is 138. As previously mentioned, a great many farmers have indicated their intention of signing membership cards just as soon as Mr. Smith or someone else interested in the promotion work calls upon them.

It would be a great aid in the work if farmers who have already investigated the question and have determined to aid in the crop improvement work, would send in their names without waiting for a visit from Mr. Smith. Because of appointments in other counties it will not be possible for Mr. Smith to devote many more days to Morgan county, and therefore those who are taking an active part in the farm advisor movement are hopeful that weather conditions for the remainder of the week will be favorable for county campaigning.

**Don't waste the pumpkins. A hat box can be made into a Jack-o'-Lanterns. Your child can get one free this morning at FRANK BYRNS' Hat store, S. W. corner square.**

## NEIGHBORHOOD MEETINGS

These services begin at 9:30 a. m. and will be as follows:

**Group A.**  
Rev. W. E. Spoons, superintendent.

District No. 1—Mrs. J. E. Stice, captain. Home of Mrs. James England, 202 North East street. This service will be at 3 p. m. and Mrs. Naylor will lead. Neighbors and friends of this aged woman and her husband are invited.

District No. 2—Mrs. Frank Vieira, captain. Will meet with No. 3.

District No. 3—Mrs. A. Van Houten, captain. No report.

District No. 4—Miss Flossie Kellogg, captain. No report.

**Group B.**  
Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, superintendent.

District No. 5—Mrs. W. H. Cocking, captain. Home of Mrs. E. C. Moses, 501 North Fayette street. Leader, Mrs. Murdock.

District No. 6—Mrs. A. F. Kinner, captain. Mrs. Charles Hopper, assistant. Home of Mrs. C. S. Smith, 223 Caldwell street. Also home of Mrs. Louise A. King, 812 West State street. Leader, Dr. A. B. Morey.

District No. 7—Mrs. John R. Davis, captain. Home of Mrs. Minnie Wheeler, 1156 West Lafayette avenue. Leader, Mrs. W. F. Brown.

District No. 8—Mrs. J. T. Smith, captain. Will meet with No. 9 at home of Mrs. John Frank.

District No. 9—Mrs. E. L. Mendonsa, assistant captain. Home of Mrs. John Frank, 703 North Prairie street. Leader, Mrs. Fernandes.

**Group C**  
Rev. W. W. Theobald, superintendent.

District No. 10—Mrs. T. H. Rapp, captain. Home of Mrs. John Smith, 124 South East street. Leader, Mrs. Weber.

District No. 11—Mrs. T. B. Reeve, captain. Home of Mrs. Charles Sheppard, 1201 South East street.

District No. 12—Mrs. J. W. Brown, captain. Home of Mrs. Lewis Mathews, 515 East College street. Leader, Rev. W. R. Leslie.

District No. 13—Mrs. J. S. Findley, captain. Home of Mrs. G. A. Muelhausen, 334 East Morton avenue. Leader, Mrs. Mary Waller. Also home of Mrs. Harriet Platt, 366 South East street. Leader, Miss Marion Fairbank.

District No. 14—Miss Mary Jones, captain. Home of Mrs. Mary Jones, 1457 South Main street.

**Group D.**  
Rev. E. B. Landis, captain.

District No. 15—Mrs. David Reid, captain. Home of Mrs. David Reid, 235 West College avenue. Leader, Mrs. Wilson.

District No. 16—Miss Nellie Cunningham, captain. Home of Mrs. W. T. Reaugh, 918 West College avenue. Leader, Mrs. J. A. Vickery.

District No. 17—Mrs. J. F. Berry, captain. Home of Mrs. C. C. Phelps, 1236 West College avenue. Leader, Mrs. Carriel.

District No. 18—Mrs. William McCurley, captain. Home of Mrs. D. O. Floreth, 693 South Church street. Leader, Mrs. J. I. Graham.

District No. 19—Mrs. William Miller, captain. Home of Mrs. J. H. Dial, 923 Edge Hill road.

## BOARDS, BOARDS, BOARDS.

I will sell several Duroc Jersey boars on the annual church sale in Concord next Wednesday, Oct. 31. These boars are of excellent quality and the best of breeding. Paper delivered with each hog when settlement is made.  
Earl Abernathy.

## INAUGURATED MEATLESS AND WHEATLESS DAYS.

John Larson of the Peacock Inn said last night that the report that the restaurants of the city had not inaugurated the meatless and wheatless days was incorrect. The Peacock Inn had inaugurated the days last week and expected to keep them in effect until further notice from the government.

## APARTMENT BUILDING MODEL OF CONVENIENCE

Structure Erected By W. L. Alexander Contains All of The Conveniences to Be Found in Modern Apartment Building—Light and Ventilation Has Been Chief Aim—Modern Garage in Connection With Building.

Modern in the most minute detail is the apartment building which W. L. Alexander has just completed. The building is located on the lot formerly occupied by the E. S. Greenleaf residence on West State street and the location as to outer surroundings is all that could be desired.

Yesterday a reporter for the Journal visited the building and was shown thru by Mr. Alexander who is already occupying the first floor apartment.

The structure was planned by Roy France a Chicago architect. R. L. Gonsalves was the general contractor. The sub-contracting was let to the following: C. C. Schureman, plumbing and heating, G. A. J. Sellen, wiring and fixtures, J. J. Mullen and son, papering and decorating, S. R. Armstrong, painting and inside finishing, Edward Oliver, plastering.

**An English Basement.**

The building is four stories in height. It has what is known as an English basement, the entrance being directly from the street level. After entering the outer door there is a vestibule in which one is sheltered from the weather. Here is a bell which connects with the apartments above. Anyone wishing to visit an occupant gets in communication by the bell and can make themselves known thru a speaking tube. The occupant can then open the door by a device which is provided in each apartment, thus saving the necessity of a trip to the first floor.

On the first floor is a ball room 40 by 22 feet with hardwood floor, equipped with large fireplace and other conveniences. Adjoining this is a billiard room with lavatory. On this floor is located the furnace room and the laundry room. The laundry room is reached from the outside and has hot and cold water and individual rooms for storage.

The crowning feature of the building, however, is the three apartments which are all of the same design. Each apartment contains six rooms with a sun porch, a sleeping porch and two baths.

It is difficult to place before one the perfect arrangements that are to be found in the apartments. First of all Mr. Alexander had in mind plenty of light and ventilation which are so seldom found in the modern apartment building.

Beginning at the front one finds the sun porch. This is 9 by 13 feet and has a tile floor and French casement windows. It provides a splendid view of the neighborhood and is very desirable either for sewing or reading.

**Lighting Fixtures Numerous.**  
Adjoining this is the reception or living room. This is a splendid room 16 by 27 feet. It has a large fireplace in which can be burned either wood, coal or gas. Mr. Alexander believes in plenty of lighting fixtures and these are in abundance and in every possible location so that a light can be connected for any purpose. There is an indirect lighting plan and also side lights above the mantel and about the room.

Then comes the dining room which opens from the main hall. In passing it might be stated that this hall runs the entire length of the building and all rooms open off of it. The doors separating the dining room from the hall are of French pattern. The dining room is done in panel effect and is lighted with a candle chandelier and this design also is carried out in the side wall lights.

The butlers pantry is off the dining room and connects with the kitchen. In this pantry are a china closet and china case and storage for linen. The kitchen is equipped with every convenience to make work easy and pleasant. The refrigerator is built in the wall with the ice chamber so it can be filled from the outside and the contents cannot be disturbed. The kitchen has hot and cold water, speaking tubes, bells and everything modern. Also an outside entrance with patent device on the door so that it would be impossible for a tramp or anyone to force their way in.

On the opposite side of the hall from the kitchen is the maid's room with private bath and clothes closet. Back of this room is the main bath room and lavatory with a built-in bath tub and everything of the most modern design.

The crowning feature of the apartment is the two bed rooms and the sleeping porch. The bed rooms are large and well lighted and ventilated. In fact Mr. Alexander had them designed with the view of giving the greatest possible comfort. Each is equipped with large closets and the doors were placed with the idea of giving the greatest possible wall space which is most desirable in a bed room. The rooms have windows projecting which give a splendid view of West State street and altogether are marvels of convenience. The closet door has a full length French mirror.

**Sleeping Porch Very Complete.**

Each of these rooms opens onto the sleeping porch by a French door. The sleeping porch also is provided with French casement windows. The porch is provided with a Murphy bed which when closed shows a panel of small French plate mirrors. There also are plenty of connections for lights or for the operation of an electric sewing machine, heat and every modern convenience.

In the rear is the garage built for the accommodation of four cars. It is reached by a wide concrete driveway which is built in circle shape at the garage so that one may easily get out without backing to turn around. The garage is heated with the asco system, is electric lighted and has water.

Each of the apartments is a replica of the one described. Mr. Alexander said yesterday that all the wiring was in conduits and absolutely safe. Other equipment is shades, curtain rods, refrigerator, gas stove, Murphy bed, book case, garbage cans, laundry stove and tub. Mr. Alexander certainly has left nothing incomplete to give Jacksonville an apartment building second to none in the state.

**NOTICE TO FARMERS**  
We will be in the market Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for cider apples and hand picked bulk apples. Call W. S. Cannon Produce company for prices.

Rev. J. E. Artz of Ashland was one of the attendants at the ministers' and stewards' meeting yesterday and called on several friends.

## Smoke Blesse's Best

A New Five Cent Cigar

Ask for it at your dealers. You will get a mild, sweet, fragrant smoke.

CO-OPERATIVE CIGAR CO.

## Removal Notice!

I HAVE REMOVED TO LARGER AND MORE COMMODIOUS QUARTERS AT

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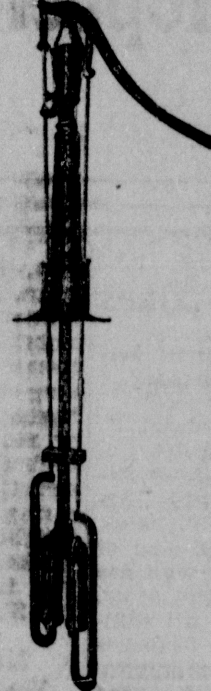
Double lever hand washer—

Gets all the dirt.

Washes quicker and cleaner;

Runs 1-3 easier;

Costs no more than the common kind.



## Peters

Double Cylinder Force Pump.

Positively double acting,

easiest working hand

pump made.

Durable

## SEASONABLE SUGGESTIONS

Salvet will rid your hog of worms or no pay.

Perfection Straw Spreader increases wheat yield 5 bushels per acre.

Peter Schuttler Wagon—Reliable since 1847.

Royal American Wire Fence—Prices will be higher.

Rowe Hog Self-Feeder pays for itself in less than 60 days.

Sidel Storm Buggies—Fastest and best.

"If it's from HALL'S—That's All"

With the Frost, Comes the Need for Stoves,  
With the Need for Stoves, Comes  
the Need for

# Oil Cloths and Linoleums

We can supply both needs. In Oil Cloths we have all widths—one yard, one and a quarter, one and a half, or two yards wide. Choice patterns, good quality Linoleums in two or four yard widths.

# STOVES

We are showing a large assortment of patterns and sizes, soft coal, hard coal, and oil.

# German Heaters

The stove that heats and holds the heat.

# JOHNSON, HACKETT & GUTHRIE

East Side House Furnishers

## HOLIDAY PREPAREDNESS

It may seem a little early to talk about Christmas, but we have been busy preparing for it for several months.

Holiday Goods are arriving daily, all this year's goods, for it is our policy never to carry over any holiday goods from one year to the next. In assembling and pricing these goods, we are going to keep in mind the idea that it is being done so that your holiday shopping this year may prove pleasant and economical.

Remember the fact that gift goods for soldiers must be shipped early.

## Armstrong's Drug Stores

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A SOFT HAT FOR EARLY COOL DAYS

We can re-block your last season's hat into the newest smartest style. Come in and try our work.

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36 North Side Square





## Walk-Over Shoes

There is many a man who would like to wear a good looking shoe, but thinks he would have to sacrifice comfort, if he did. This is not the case at our store.

All Walk-Over shoes are made to fit, but all feet are not alike. We carry a sufficiently large stock to give you a fit you will enjoy, in a style you will like.

We Repair Shoes

**Hopper's**

Rubber Footwear of all kinds

### WANT MEN FOR ROAD SERVICE CORPS

Local Recruiting Officer Gets Important Communication Tuesday.

Sergeant Stirling of the local U. S. army recruiting station at the Post Office building yesterday received an official communication from Adjutant General W. T. Bates, which should be of a great deal of interest to all young men who are considering entrance into the army, especially men who are at all skilled in any of the different branches of road building. The communication refers especially to the need of enlisted men for the 23rd Engineers, National Army (Road Service.)

The list of enlisted men needed in this corps follows: Surveyor (transit and level worker), draftsman (familiar with civil engineering), clerk (material, time-keeping, tool-checking, etc.), stenographer, axeman (expert), blacksmith, blacksmith's helper, machinist, gas engine operator, crusher operator (reciprocating), driller (hand drills), driller (air drills), quarryman, powder man, mason, teamster, pile driver operator (drop hammer), concrete foreman, concrete carpenter, road foreman (familiar with bituminous and water bound macadam), tractor and road roller operator (gasoline), grader operator (blade and elevating graders), bridge foreman, bridge carpenter, truck drivers, chauffeurs, cook, motor truck repairer, automobile repairman, pipe fitters, electrician, horseshoer, tailor, shoe repairer, musician (bugle, fife, drum), mechanic (handman), telephone operators, steam engineer, tool sharpener, ditcher, boatman (builders and caulkers), shovel runner (steam and gas), barber, bituminous road

men, ironworkers, riggers, veterinarian, French interpreter. General utility men capable of driving automobiles and motor trucks, acting as teamsters, working in concrete, running small gasoline engines, and men having a general working knowledge of machinery, quarries, steel and timber construction and road construction, men used to handling and caring for horses and mules. Wheelwrights, harness makers, leather workers, etc. If you qualify for service in the 23rd Engineering corps see Sergeant Stirling today.

### NOTICE TO FARMERS

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### STOLEN! \$30 REWARD

Stolen. A very heavy plush lap robe. Black on one side. On other side horse's head in one corner and dog in opposite corner, with red flowers in center. Was stolen from automobile last Thursday at the Nunes sale on Independence avenue. The A. H. T. A. will give a reward of \$20 for arrest and conviction of thief, and \$10 for the return of the robe. Notify A. C. Reid, Pres., both phones.

### BOX SOCIAL TOMORROW

Don't fail to attend the box social to be held at Kinnam school house, two miles northwest of Jacksonville Thursday night. Miss Marie Miller is teacher of the school and promises an excellent program in addition to the auctioning of the boxes containing good things to eat.

### LIBERTY LOAN BONDS

On Weekly Payments. The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company.

## FARMERS INCOME FIGURES PRESENTED

J. L. Pickering Collector of Revenue Prepares a Sample Government Report.

Altho the official forms for the figuring of tax returns payable to the collector of internal revenue on all taxable incomes will not be mailed out until January 1, 1918, Collector of Internal Revenue John L. Pickering has given out information on the compilation of such incomes and their proportionate taxes insofar as a farmer's income is affected. For the benefit of all farmers a specific example has been prepared, so that a farmer may, by substituting his actual expense, income and deduction figures, gain exactly the amount of income tax he will be called upon to pay for 1917.

The new act passed October 3, 1917, is in the nature of an additional tax and does not affect or change the regular income tax, the act covering which was passed in 1916. In other words there are now two taxes to be collected from incomes, the regular income tax and the additional income tax.

### Figures are Given.

The figures given below are given merely as a formula and example of what farmer would have to meet under the taxation on incomes as they now are. Farmers vary in their expenses and in their crop sales, but by supplying the true figures they may be able to figure their taxes out for themselves.

The forms supplied for the listing of all such items are being withheld until the tax is actually collectable so that the items may be given as they actually are in January, 1918, and be taxed accordingly.

The farmers' return to the collector of internal revenue would be substantially as follows:

Gross revenue:	
From wages and salaries	\$ 100
From rent of property	1,000
From interest on promissory notes	500
From operation of his business:	
Sale of wheat	\$2,000
Sale of corn	3,000
Sale of oats	500
Sale of livestock	1,000
Sale of poultry and dairy products	1,000
Dividends from bank stock	900
Total gross income	\$10,000
Operating expenses of his business:	
Wages of help (other than domestic)	\$1,500
Fire insurance on tenant houses	100
Repairs on machinery and tools	200
Cost of fertilizer	200
Cost of feed bought	500
Taxes paid during 1917	400
Interest on taxes paid during 1917	500
Total deductions	\$3,500
From these totals, by deducting the total deductions from the gross income, the farmer would have a net income of \$6,500.	
Specific exemption, provided for in the act	\$4,000
Dividends from bank stock, not taxable	900
Total exemptions	\$4,900
Figures on Exemptions.	
The total exemption of \$4,900, when deducted from the net income of \$6,500 leaves a taxable income of \$1,600. The normal tax under the 1916 act is 2 per cent of the taxable income of \$1,600 which would be a tax payable of \$32.	
Under the 1917 act the total exemptions will be as follows:	
Specific exemption	\$2,000
Dividends on bank stock	900
Total exemption	\$2,900
Under this act, deducting the total exemption from the same net income of \$6,500, there would be a taxable income of \$3,600. The normal tax of 2 per cent of the taxable income of \$3,600 would be a payable tax of \$72.	
The 1917 act provides for a surtax on net income in excess of \$5,000 and under \$7,500 which would be, in this case, \$1,500. The surtax is figured at 1 per cent of this amount which would be a payable tax of \$15.	
The total amount the farmer, whose gross income, deductions and expenses are the same as the foregoing figures, would have to pay as income tax would amount to:	
Tax due under the act of 1916	\$ 32
Tax due under the 1917 act (both normal and surtax)	\$ 87
Total tax payable	\$119
Under the 1916 act providing for income taxes carries an exemption clause of \$20,000. Under the 1917 act the exemption clause is but for \$5,000. The above illustration would exempt the farmer from a surtax under the 1916 act as his net income is less than the exemption.	

Desiring to help conserve the food supply and knowing a large number of pumpkins are usually used to make Jack-o'-Lanterns, Frank Byrns' Hat and Fur dealer, S. W. corner square, has saved a large number of hat boxes that can be used for that purpose, and will give them away free this morning.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

H. F. Williams to H. M. Means lot 54 and 55 Hayes addition to Yatesville, \$500.

J. A. Edelbrock to W. J. Edelbrock west half lot 3 northeast quarter 3-15-12, \$1.

H. E. Edelbrock to W. W. Parrish, lot 3, block 16, city addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Mrs. Ernest Million of west of town was a Jacksonville shopper yesterday.

## FRIENDS SURPRISE MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE FUNK

Members of Wednesday Club of North Prairie and Families Spend Pleasant Day Sunday—Other Scott County News.

Quite a jolly party composed of the members of the Wednesday club of North Prairie neighborhood and their families surprised Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Funk near Riggsston Sunday. The party was in the nature of a farewell gathering as Mr. and Mrs. Funk are to leave for their future home in Minnesota in the early spring. The guests assembled at Riggsston about 11:30 o'clock and drove to the Funk home in a body, taking with them well filled baskets. After the excitement occasioned by the surprise had subsided in some measure the ladies arranged the good things to eat in cafeteria style and those present helped themselves to the plentiful offerings of chicken, sandwiches, salads, coffee, cider, ice cream, cake, etc. About four o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Watt Mosher appeared on the scene with his camera and took a number of pictures of the crowd. Before departing the guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Funk with a beautiful set of sterling silver teaspoons. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Funk, Mr. and Mrs. William Redshaw and daughter Irene, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Christensen and daughter Della, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bush, M. G. Leib, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Peak, D. W. Mills, Miss Laura Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kirkman, Miss Julia Werner, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kornbeek, Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Little and son Mahlon, Mr. and Mrs. George Colling and son Paul, Mrs. George Burrus, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hogan, Miss Lillian Sidles, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Sappington, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mills and Fritz Haskell.

The funeral of the late Charles R. Southwell will be conducted from the Winchester Christian church this afternoon at two o'clock, the Rev. G. E. Prewitt officiating, assisted by Elder J. H. Coats. Burial will be made in Winchester cemetery. Julius Oehler has sold his farm, consisting of about sixty acres, located three miles northwest of Winchester to Melvin Murray. Oehler expects to move with his family into Winchester soon. Mr. Murray, who has been residing in Winchester for some time, will make his home on the land purchased. The purchase price was not given.

Word was received Monday from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knapp, who left several days ago for Westington, South Dakota, called by the illness of their daughter Mrs. Charles S. Moore that Mrs. Moore is improving in health.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Winchester Christian church gave a Halloween party Tuesday night to the members and invited friends in the basement of the church. The rooms were appropriately decorated and the guests appeared in costume. A merry evening was spent by all. Refreshments were served.

Denatured alcohol \$1.20 per gal. at Obermeyer's drug store.

### PARK BOARD HELD REGULAR SESSION

The park board met last evening in regular session with all members present. All properly approved bills were ordered paid. Bill of J. H. Baptist for grading Central park was referred to the park committee to investigate and report.

The committee on monkey house reported that the pavilion formerly in Central park had been taken down and was being moved to Nichols park according to contract by Mr. Updegraff and that it would be carried to completion in due season. The committee in Central park improvements reported shrubbery ready for planting which would have attention shortly.

The president was instructed to collect the sum due from the monument association for moving the Central park pavilion. J. H. Shafer of Springfield was present as a candidate for the position of general custodian and superintendent of the city park system. The gentleman has been for some years in the employ of the park system of Springfield and was recommended by the general park superintendent of that city for the position. The matter was taken under advisement. Adjourned.

Snappy styles of OVERCOATS for snappy fellows, are shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

### MAPLE GROVE PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The Maple Grove Parent-Teacher Association met last evening in the Maple Grove schoolhouse with a good attendance. The principal features of the evening were songs and recitations by the primary grade under the direction of the teacher, Miss Ethel Sooy, and a short play by the upper grade under the management of the teacher, Burley Jones. Both departments acquitted themselves with great credit and the audience showed its hearty appreciation of the efforts of the pupils of the school.

There was considerable renewed interest manifested in the association and it was decided to continue its existence. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mrs. Charles Hankins. Vice president—Mrs. J. F. Kitcher. Secretary-treasurer—Mrs. Lumley.

House and lot No. 853 Doolin Ave., will be sold at public auction at court house, Saturday, at 2 p. m.

### CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

D. M. Medlock was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Lester Koontz charging him with assault and battery. He was fined \$3, and costs on both city and state warrants.

## RUBBER FAMINE THROUGHT EUROPE

Scarcity of Rubber Causes Unheard of Prices—Supply in Central Europe Entirely Depleted—Gasoline Also Scarce Commodity.

On account of the scarcity of rubber in Europe and the lack and great demand for gasoline, some unheard of prices are being asked for these commodities across the water. It is said that automobile tires and gasoline are so scarce in Europe that dealers must keep a body guard. In the central empire the tires are not to be had, especially the inner tubes, at any price.

There isn't a bicycle tire left in Germany outside of those on military bicycles. Raids by the wholesale were conducted on shops and residences and all bicycle tires seized. Everything in rubber has been reclaimed for the construction and submarine battery cells.

Victor Van Der Linde, special representative of the Goodrich company, who has just returned to America after a long study of European conditions affecting the trade makes this statement in this week's issue of Motorcycling and Bicycling.

He sums up the tire situation as follows:

Germany—None to be had. Austria—None to be had. Sweden—\$550 for a tire if you have a permit from the Royal Automobile Club.

Norway—\$450 with permit. Denmark—\$320 for a tire if you can find one and give written assurance to the government that it will not go to Germany.

Holland—\$350 with government guarantee.

Russia—\$100 for one tire.

Great Britain—\$90 for one tire.

Italy—\$100 for one tire.

Spain—\$125 for one tire.

Gasoline. Van Der Linde says, presents as big a problem as tires. A pleasure trip of 200 miles would cost the average German \$200 in gasoline alone.

This is the European scale: Germany—\$6.00 per gallon. Great Britain—95 cents per gallon.

France—\$1.25 per gallon.

Sweden—\$1.75 per gallon.

Holland—\$1.50 per gallon.

Denmark—\$1.35 per gallon.

Italy—\$1.00 per gallon.

Spain—\$1.10 per gallon.

Greece—\$1.60 per gallon.

He says that German scientists have failed in producing a substitute for rubber (tires). About the only motor car running with inner tubes is that of the Kaiser. Most casing are stuffed with a composition of campaign corks, paper and rags, and some are even filled with sand and dirt. But it is worse than this. Most automobiles have ground away their casings and move about on their rims.

Mrs. Samuel Turner of Waverly was a Jacksonville shopper Tuesday.

**YEARS** ago a constructive policy was begun to make this store the leading Clothing House in Central Illinois.

—This task necessarily entailed a buying and merchandising organization above the ordinary.

—How successful we have been is best proven by our constant increasing volume of business and the admission of satisfaction of our many customers with the splendid assortments and values to be found here.

—Such a store is worth coming to—more so than ever this season.

### NEW TRENCH AND BELTER SUITS

AND OVERCOATS

\$12.50 to \$35.00

**MYERS BROTHERS.**

Varsity Sweaters all colors and stripes.

Superior Union Suits

## REVIVAL MEETINGS AT MURRAYVILLE

Rev. Roy March Will Begin Series at Baptist Church Wednesday Evening—Doings of Murrayville Residents Tensely Told.

Murrayville, Oct. 30.—Rev. Roy March will begin revival services Wednesday evening at the Baptist church. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

Layton McGhee and sister Miss Mary of Jacksonville and Miss Helen McGhee of White Hall, were guests of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. McGhee Sunday. Miss Lois Carpenter of Jacksonville was also a guest at the McGhee home.

Oliver Cox and family of near Franklin visited Sunday with Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. Sarah Wade and family.

Mrs. Edward Lonergan of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. G. T. Henry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Sheppard of near Virden spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cade attended revival services at the Union Baptist church at Pisgah Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sarah Wade and daughter, Rachel Clare, are spending this week with relatives near Franklin.

W. T. Cook and family moved to Jacksonville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riggs and son Philip Wayne of Jacksonville spent last week with relatives here.

Joseph McCabe and wife spent from Thursday until Saturday with Mrs. McCabe's sister in Chicago who is quite seriously ill.

Mrs. C. J. Vaughan of Jacksonville visited relatives and friends here Friday and Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Luke, Sunday, October 28th a son, Sylvester Luke.

C. F. Strang suffered another paralytic stroke Sunday night and is in a very critical condition at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Blakeman Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phillips at Bluffs.

Mrs. Bridget Rowen and Mrs. Mary Dolan of Roodhouse attended the funeral of Mrs. John Koyné here Friday.

Mrs. A. J. Johnson and daughter Miss Gertrude spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Roodhouse.

Born, Sunday, October 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Nidden, a son.

### FRENCH CONVERSATION

For children 5-12 years. Lessons to be held for one hour after school Mondays and Wednesdays. Course begins Nov. 5. Limited enrollment. For further particulars telephone Miss Betty Ames, 1338 Mound Ave.

Miss Helen Hines and Miss Madeleine Carmody of Carlinville who are students at the Ursuline Academy of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Bergsneider of New Berlin were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hines.

Bitter-Sweet Chocolate 39c

Dutch Chocolates 39c

## In Christmas Packages

—for the—  
**Soldiers We Suggest—**

Razors  
Safety Razors  
Safety razor Blades  
Shaving Soaps  
Shaving Brushes  
Clothes Brushes  
Pocket Knives  
Purses  
Pocket Combs  
Pocket Picture Frames

Tooth Brushes  
Tooth Pastes  
Cigarettes  
Cigars  
Chewing Gum  
Candy  
Talcum  
Soaps  
Cigar Holders  
Cigarette Cases  
Stationery

### ATTENTION

Our usual large Xmas Stock now on display on our balcony floor.

**Coover & Shreve's**

Lady Helen Chocolate Cherries 39c

Brazil Nuts Dropped in Cream 39c